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## News Briefs

### District Health Offices Move To New Location Dec. 20

District Health Dept. #1, Grayling Branch Office, will be moving to their new offices on Dec. 19, 1988, at 2229 South Grayling Road, in the North Central Community Mental Health's new facility, across from Grayling Health Care Center, and the road just south of Great Lakes Bancorp Savings and Loan. The new phone number will be 348-7800.

The Health Dept. will be closed Dec. 19, to enable them to make the move and will re-open on Tuesday, Dec. 20 at their new location.

### Santa Visiting Children Here Friday, December 16

Santa Claus will make his annual visit to Grayling State Bank from 3-6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 16. There will be presents and treats for all good little girls and boys in Crawford County.

### Downhill Ski Race Clinic Offered at Hanson Hills

Grayling State Bank in cooperation with Hanson Hills is once again offering their downhill ski race clinic for 1st through 8th grade boys and girls. The clinic will run every Sunday from 1-3 beginning January 1, 1989 through February 26, 1989. There will be several ribbon and trophy races on the clinic dates. Again this year, as in past years, there will be no entrance fees, only a valid lift ticket will be required. Anyone interested in participating may register for the program at Hanson Hills or on the first clinic date.

### Downhill Ski Classes Offered At Hanson Hills in January

Applications for downhill ski instruction classes are now available at Hanson Hills. Adult classes start Monday, January 2, 1989 from 7-9 p.m. Children's classes will be on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. beginning January 3, 1989. Children must be at least six years old to participate in the group classes.

Each class runs for six weeks and class times are on a first come-first served basis. Class fees are \$35 for Crawford County residents and \$45 for non-residents. For further information call Hanson Hills at 348-9266.

### Elementary Schools Christmas Concert Set For Thursday, December 15

The Grayling and Frederic Elementary Schools invite all to An Old Fashioned Christmas Celebration. The elementary students are working very hard to learn Christmas songs. They may even invite you to sing some traditional carols, too.

The concert will take place in the High School gym, Thursday, Dec. 15, from 7-8 p.m. Close to 900 voices will blend in Christmas songs for the evening.

### Santa's Local Mailbox Still Open for Children

It's not too late to get your letter off to Santa. Children can still mail their letters by using the Santa Claus' mailbox provided by the Grayling Promotional Association.

They are located at Glen's Market and inside the Mercantile Mall between the Little Red Shoe House and Ivie Girl Stores.

### 14 Enter Christmas Home Decorating Contest

Fourteen residents have been entered in the 1988 Home Decorating Contest sponsored by GPA. Here are the homes you may want to drive around to see.

Sherry Haag, 72W to Goose Creek Rd, turn right, 4th house from corner on right.

Jack and Nita Millikin, 434 Millikin Rd, 1/2 mile on left side.

Joann Michal, take Old Dam Rd. to Ethel Ct. (first road on the right paved) first house on the left.

Mac McPherson, 72W, Madsen Cabins No. 2.

Dennis M. Kuhn, Stephan Bridge Rd. to Shaw Park Rd. 3rd house on left hand side.

Virginia Millikin, S. Grayling Rd., Roscommon, 1/2 mile between Fletcher Rd. and 7 Mile Rd.

Lawrence Smith, 110 Crestwood Mobile Estates, turn left at entrance, 4th trailer on right (split rail fence).

Michael Zancy, N. Down River Rd. East, exactly 2 miles east of Stephan Bridge Rd. on left side of road, 1800' off of N. Down River Rd.

Lora Gould, 308 AuSable Ct. (behind Ray's Canoe).

Pauline Hatfield, S. Grayling Rd., Roscommon, just past Virginia Millikin.

Alan Peterson - 1090 Old Dam Rd., 3rd house from end on left.

Janet Brown - 6506 Cheboygan St., Frederic, go to light turn right, go 2 blocks, turn right.

Cynthia Haranczak - 6647 Nottingham - 72-W to Ole Dam Rd (right) about 3/4 mile, turn left on Nottingham, 2nd house on left.

Norman and Bonnie Poll, 307 Mikado St. off 72E. Judging will be Thursday, Dec. 15th, starting at 7 p.m.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1988—16 PAGES

## County Looking at \$150,000 Deficit

By Irene Pettyjohn

When the final tally is in, Crawford County will be facing another year of deficit spending, to the tune of nearly \$150,000.

County treasurer Joe Wakeley has been advising the County Board of Commissioners since June that expenditures were exceeding budgeted amount. At the October 28th meeting of the commissioners' Ways and Means Committee, Wakeley reported that the projected shortages were between \$140,000 and \$150,000. Today, Wakeley projects that these shortages will be closer to \$150,000.

How serious is the \$150,000 budget shortage and how does the County plan to balance their 1988 budget? Wakeley explained that the necessary money would be taken from the Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund. This fund was started 13 years ago and was established to purchase delinquent taxes from the townships, city, schools — all units of government. This purchase is made by the County issuing bonds, then as the taxes are collected from the property owners, the County escrows the money and pays off the bonds. When the system was established, the goal was that as the bonds were paid off, any profit remaining would be left in the fund to grow and accumulate so that eventually the County would be self-funding, and would not have to borrow against their delinquent taxes.

This goal has never been achieved because the County has had to transfer the profits from the revolving fund to the General Fund to both balance deficit budgets and to compensate for lost revenue sources. In 1985, \$131,000 was transferred to balance the County budget. This procedure was repeated in 1986 with \$110,000 transferred, and again in 1988 with \$295,000 transferred. The 1988 transfer includes a \$145,000 payoff following the County's lost lawsuit brought by Carol Conklin, and \$150,000 for the budget shortage.

This year might be the last year the revolving fund can be used to offset a budget deficit. Wakeley stated that the revolving fund would have the necessary \$175,000 needed by the County in 1989 for the lost revenue-sharing money, but he emphasized that there would not be an additional \$150,000 to make-up another budget shortage, if the same situation should occur next year.

The extra "bail-out" funds will not be available for two reasons, said Wakeley. The first involves changes in bond procedures. Bonding is still permitted, but under a different set of rules.

"We have been able to make money in the revolving fund," explained Wakeley, "by the way we have been able to set up and structure the bond issues and the bond payments. It allowed us to hold onto the money over the time we were collecting the taxes." Wakeley continued, "We paid off small amounts of the bonds over a three year period. The first and second year were small principal payments and the third year the large payment." "Now", Wakeley said, "because the County is collecting the majority of the tax money in the first year, the County has to make the biggest principal payment first."

The federal government and internal revenue service de-

cided that the previous bonding allowed for arbitrage (the making of a profit and not paying a tax on the profit), and changed the bonding payment system.

"So the profits that the County can make on the bonds will not be as great in the future," said Wakeley. "Also the people who buy the bonds are looking more favorable at them if groups selling can put up 10%. This means that the 10% is tied up until two years down the road."

The second reason that extra money will not be available next year is that the County does not have any bond issues maturing in 1989. Consequently, there will not be any profits available. The County's next bond issues both mature in 1990.

"And I have no idea now what the profits will be on those bond issues," said Wakeley.

Wakeley stated that as he went over the 1988 budget, line item by line item, most expenditures were necessary and could be justified, but he said that this circumstance only served to alarm him more. He said that justifiable expenses or not, the County cannot afford another budget deficit year the likes of 1988.

After the \$150,000 transfer occurs, the County budget will be approximately \$11,000 in the black.

Departmental categories that had the greatest over budget expenditures include:

	1988 Budget	Estimated Expenditures	Over Budget
Probate Court	40,102	48,735	8,633
Corporate Counsel	18,000	55,000	37,000
Clerk/Deeds	105,269	109,969	4,700
Pros. Attorney Coop.	76,166	90,837	14,671
Crime Victims	14,000	17,900	3,900
Purchasing	60,465	66,765	6,300
Sheriff	332,792	364,007	31,215
Marine	30,637	33,205	2,568
Road Patrol	50,723	66,850	16,127
Jail	252,256	267,944	15,688
Animal Control	34,256	38,789	4,533
Ambulance	100,249	117,405	17,156
Hospitalization	127,750	150,200	22,450
Life Insurance	3,400	7,300	3,900
Workmans Comp.	36,050	50,500	14,450
Liability/Auto	45,000	70,000	25,000

Other County departments either met their budget or spent less than their budgeted amount, or did not exceed their budget by more than \$2,500.



**CHOIR TRAVELS TO CAPITOL** — The Elementary School Choir sang for a lunch hour audience at the Capitol building in Lansing on Monday, December 5th. Pictured in the Grayling Elementary gym is the 3rd and 4th grade choir members and their director, Mrs. Peggy Emerick.

## Chamber Eyes 2% Motel Room Tax To Promote County

By Irene Pettyjohn

A two percent room tax that will net nearly \$75,000 in the first year is one segment of a two part expansion program planned by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. Both programs will promote Crawford County, first as a tourist and convention destination and second for economic, industrial and business development.

It will be the responsibility of the newly established Grayling Area Visitors Council to promote Grayling as a tourist and convention area. These promotions will be paid for with the 2% room tax, which was tentatively agreed upon by area motel and hotel owners. Chris Holtz, office manager for the Chamber, estimated that this tax should bring to Crawford County \$75,000 in 1989, and will be available by September.

"This represents almost 10 times more money than the Chamber has ever spent promoting Crawford County," said Bill Carey, President of the Chamber's Board of Directors. "And it is not coming from you or me or local businesses," he said. "It is coming from tourists to promote more tourism."

The Grayling Area Visitors Council will consist of nine board members, mainly motel and hotel owners, and will direct the Chamber how they want the assessment monies spent. The Chamber office and staff will serve as the administration organization for the Visitors Council.

According to Carey, the Chamber's Board of Directors has committed themselves and an executive director to becoming a central planning organization that will actively pursue the economic, industrial, and business development of Crawford County. To finance the hiring of a professional full-time director and pay for promotional programs an Advisory Committee has been formed to assist the Chamber by conducting a three-year fundraising campaign. The goal of the Advisory Committee is to raise \$200,000 over three years to increase the Chamber's budget so that the Chamber can promote the community in different ways than the room tax promotions.

"The Chamber's focus will be on the overall quality of life in Crawford County," Carey said. "It will promote industry that we feel will be beneficial for Crawford County."

Members of the Advisory Committee are Jim Bourrie, Ernie Dawson, Rose Duley, Ron Fraser, Ron Phillips, Ralph Stevens, and Paul Thomson.

The fundraising campaign will kick-off in early 1989.

Carey stated that the new programs signify not only the beginning of an exciting expansion of services to the residents of Crawford County, but also the successful conclusion of a difficult recovery period for the once ailing organization.

"Two years ago the Chamber was facing financial disaster," said Carey.

He explained that indebtedness had forced the organization to terminate their director because they did not have the money to pay his salary. In an attempt to salvage the Chamber the board cut expenses to the bone.

"At this point," said Carey, "the future of the Chamber was in question. There was some serious talk about closing the office completely."

Instead, the Chamber began to re-organize.

The Chamber's Board of Directors looked at their financial resources, membership dues, to determine exactly how much money they had to work with, and then for probably the first time in the Chamber's history, they constructed a budget. With a clear picture of their income and expenses, the board decided to hire Chris Holtz as the Chamber's office manager.

At this time the sole goal and purpose of the Chamber was to function as an information clearinghouse for local activities and for people coming into the area who wanted to know more about the community, whether they were tourists, new residents or prospective business investors. Financially, this was the most the Chamber could hope to accomplish.

Today the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce is financially solvent and anticipating the forthcoming expansion programs. Its membership has grown from 185 members in 1986 to over 240 members today. The Chamber feels it has regained its credibility both with the business community and with the residents of Crawford County, and is excited about the future prospects of Crawford County.

## 10 Contestants Seek Miss Grayling Title

The theme Mardi Gras is creating excitement for the 1989 Miss Grayling Area Pageant. The 10 contestants this year are Amy Jo Denton, Dawn Elekonich, Janice Marie Helsel, Stephanie L. Hindmarsh, Melissa Irene Kellogg, Ann Marie Moshier, Wanda Pearsall, Wendy Pearsall, Amy Kathrine Smith and Heidi Stephenson.

Orientation to familiarize the contestants with the pageant was held Sunday, December 4th, at the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel which is the Pageant Headquarters again this year. They all have their talent selected and are anxious to start the many rehearsals, workshops on poise and beauty tips along with the get acquainted and fun activities scheduled.

The Board of Directors for the pageant are Executive Director - Christine Holtz, Sherry Hanson - Assistant Director, Kathy Ashton - Program Chairman, Karen Casler - Pageant Moms Director, Kim Jansen - Music Director and Tickets, Donna Masker - Judges and Auditors, Shannon McNamara - Talent Coordinator, Dee Mead - Seamstress, Carol Miller - Stage Manager, Linda Munsey - Treasurer, with Norma Naour adding her many years of experience as the Advisor.

The pageant will be held on Saturday, January 21st, at the High School Auditorium. One of these young women will go on to represent Grayling in the Miss Michigan Pageant held in June.



**JUDGE KRAUS RETIRES** — Crawford County Courthouse staff, and family and friends honors Judge Emil Kraus on Tuesday, December 6, with a reception on the occasion of his retirement after serving 24 years as Probate Judge. Shown above is Circuit Court Judge Alton Davis (right) extending his best wishes to Judge Kraus.



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## 46th Circuit Court

Appearing before the Honorable William A. Porter Monday, December 5, 1988:

Keith Edward Rugg, age 27, of Frederic, was arraigned on a charge of Resisting & Opposing a Police Officer. Rugg stood mute and faces a maximum penalty of 2 years in prison or a fine of up to \$1,000 if convicted.

Rugg was arrested by the Crawford County Sheriff Department in October, 1988.

Richard Allen Wakeley, age 33, of Grayling, was arraigned on a charge of Larceny in a Building. He stood mute and faces a maximum penalty of 4 Years in prison and/or a fine of up to \$2,000 if convicted.

Wakeley was arrested by the Grayling City Police on a complaint filed by Mac's Drug Store in December, 1987.

Stuart James MacFar-

lane, age 32, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Criminal Sexual Conduct 2nd Degree. He faces a maximum penalty of 15 Years in prison.

MacFarlane was arrested by the Crawford County Sheriff Department in October, 1988 on a complaint filed by the Department of Social Services. The victim is under 13 years of age.

Richard Anthony Partello, age 21, of Frederic, was sentenced on 2 charges of Attempted Criminal Sexual Conduct 4th Degree. He received 24 months probation, 90 days in the county jail with credit given for 2 days served, \$400 costs, \$550 attorney fees and must also pay all counseling expenses for the victims.

Partello was arrested in April, 1988 on complaints filed by Grayling residents through the Grayling City Police Department.

## District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Richard J. Woods, 60, of Crystal Falls, plead guilty to a charge of O.U.I.L. He was fined \$405 or 30 days, license suspended for 6 months. He was cited by the state police on 4-26-88.

Martin L. Schilbe, 27, of Roscommon, was fined \$405 or 30 days, license revoked for a charge of O.U.I.L. He was cited by the sheriff dept. on 6-6-88.

William A. Guinn, 17, of Rochester Hills plead guilty to a charge of larceny under \$100. He was fined \$155 or 14 days, and 6 months probation. He was cited on 11-26-88 following a citizen complaint.

Barbara S. Yax, 25, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination to 5 charges of No Account Check. Bond was \$200 cash or surety. She was cited on the offenses dating Sept. 23, 24, 27 & 28, 1988 following a citizen complaint.

Joseph S. Prosser, 26, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of City Ordinance No. 4 Disorderly Person. He was cited \$105 or 10 days. He was cited by the sheriff dept. on 11-20-88.

Christmas Concert  
Featured at  
Daniel's Den

This Friday, Dec. 16th, Daniel's Den will be presenting Valley Smith and Steve Oppy from Roscommon. They will be doing a Christmas concert. We will be doing Christmas carols sometime during the concert and you are all welcome to join in. Steve and Valley put on a great show with their singing and guitar playing.

Daniel's Den is located on M-72 West in Grayling at the Episcopal Church in the fellowship hall. We are non-denominational and all are welcome. It's a family night out, bring the children, and enjoy yourself.

## Weather

Courtesy of C.F. Flick

Dec	Hi	Lo	Snow
6	50	27	Tracking
7	36	22	2.5
8	33	17	3.0
9	25	7	4.0
10	24	4	5.0
11	18	-14	6.0
12	19	-21	6.0

Women Aglow  
Meet in Jan.

Grayling Women Aglow will not be having a meeting this month.

Meetings will resume in January with new advisor, Pastor Robert Klug, as the featured speaker.

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners at their office, 320 State Street, Post Office Box 674, Grayling, Michigan 49738 until 10:00 a.m., Thursday, December 22, 1988 for the following:

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HOLIDAY DECORATIONS — Ann Kurzer, of the Grayling State Bank, is shown with her Yuletide scene she created in the lobby on the downtown bank.

Red Cross Sends Aid  
To Earthquake Victims

"The American Red Cross is ready to offer whatever assistance we can provide to the victims of the Armenian Earthquake," said Richard F. Schubert, President of the American Red Cross. "This new tragedy is added to the unprecedented number of serious international

serious international disasters that have occurred during the 125th year of the International Red Cross Movement."

Soviet Red Cross (The Alliance of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies of the USSR) chartered

planes have been working throughout the night shipping blankets, tents, medical and first aid kits and other relief supplies into the hardest hit Armenian towns of Leninakan, Kirovakan, Spitak and Stepanakan. The first plane, which left Moscow shortly after midnight, contained 14.5 tons of goods, and included a team headed by USSR Red Cross and Red Crescent President Dmitri Venediktov.

Soviet Red Cross officials reported a particular need for blood, and over 850 donations were taken from volunteers and staff, students, workers and military personnel during the early hours of the morning there. All blood needs for the earthquake victims will be collected from internal Soviet Union resources.

An immediate gift of \$50,000 dollars has been sent by the American Red Cross, and it is anticipated that after an initial survey is received from Yerevan additional funds and supplies will be needed. In the United States the large Armenian community in Los Angeles has already offered their assistance to Red Cross.

Those wishing to help the victims of the earthquake may do so by sending a check to Red Cross International Disaster Relief earmarked "Soviet/Armenian Earthquake Relief" to the Crawford County Red Cross Chapter, P.O. Box 649, Grayling.

Engagement  
Announced

Arlene Marie Shaw, is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter, Pamela Lynn Shaw to Danny E. Wilson of Honor, Michigan. The wedding date has been set for December 17, 1988 at the Assembly of God Church, Grayling.

Frederic Hobby  
Club News

On November 28th, the Frederic Hobby Club met with 14 members and 1 guest present. They worked on our plastic canvas projects and Annie Berger was in charge. They set December 17th, at 5 p.m. for the Christmas Party for members and their guests. The members are to bring a dish to pass and table services as needed. Each one is to bring a \$2 to \$3 gift for exchange. The door prize was won by Betty Lepper and Merna Newberry was the hostess for the evening.

On December 12th they met with 16 members present. They worked on Christmas favors for the Seniors in Wargo Milltown Manor and Timberview Village. They will meet Monday, December 19th, at 6:30 p.m. to make Christmas plates for Seniors in the community. Eva Ritter was the winner of the door prize and Shirley Privaloff was the hostess.

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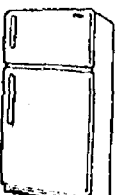
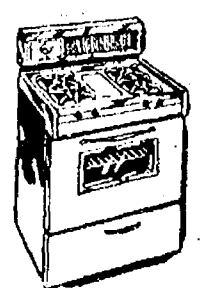
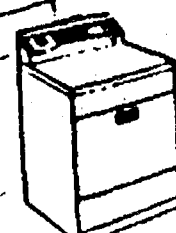
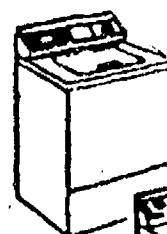
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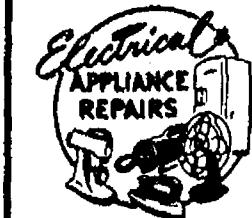


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## County Children Deserve Hanson Hills Support

I am a fairly recent resident of Crawford County, around eight years. How great it would have been, while growing up, to have had access to such amenities as those available here in this county.

As a citizen of this community I am concerned about the attitude of too many of our voters. At a time when Hanson Hills needs our added support, the majority of the voters have turned down the renewal of the present supporting mil-

lage. Fortunately many individuals, the Booster Club and merchants support Hanson Hills, but they can't do it alone. We are in danger of losing our park!

The future of this community will be in the hands of our young people. Hopefully they will be sympathetic to our needs (the riders of Dial-a-Ride, Senior Citizens, Sportsmen, etc.), as future voters, and vote intelligently when it comes their turn.

How sad, by saving \$4.00 a

year we are robbing our children (and don't forget the Special Olympians) of a very special recreational facility. When our kids lose, we all lose!

M. Elene Hamilton  
Grayling

P.S. If you are pro-Hanson Hills and eating out this month remember the Iron Gate Restaurant at the Hospitality House Motel. They're donating 10% of each check to Hanson Hills in December.

## Objects to Letter Criticizing Considerate Grayling People

Letter to the Editor:

Several weeks ago you ran an open letter from an out of town visitor, about the lack of courtesy and impoliteness of Grayling people to the old and disabled.

I was outraged by the persons careless letter.

Being an aged and disabled person, I walk with much difficulty, using a cane, and with limited vision (obvious by the glasses I wear).

The people of this city, some older than myself, middle aged, teens, even children, are considerate to the highest degree, opening doors, assisting in helping me up steps, even in walking

in some places, and in crossing streets, or snow or ice. I have had people come across the street to help me, even get out their cars to do so, most I don't know or have never seen before.

Store employees are especially helpful, never anything but polite, except in very rare occasions. I can only count two who weren't and they are no longer there.

The ladies and gentlemen drivers of Dial-a-Ride are magnificent in their assistance, always.

It isn't only myself, it is to all people that are handicapped in some way or another.

It is obvious why I object so strenuously to the letter from a visitor to people of Grayling.

Many thanks to all those people whoever you are, and especially to the Commission on Aging.

Catherine Baker  
Grayling

## Supports U.S. Handling Of Arafat Situation

President (elect)  
George A. Bush  
Capital Bldg.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President (elect),

The Crawford County Avalanche carried this week (December 8, 1988) an open letter to you from the Ausable Ministerial Association stating they are "extremely concerned over the way in which our Secretary of State, Mr. George Schultz has mishandled the Yassar Arafat situation." As pastor of a local Baptist church in Grayling for 17 years, I wish to assure you that the opinions expressed by this group do not reflect the views of all local clergy. Neither do public voting

records indicate to me that these persons necessarily represent the feelings of a majority of the local citizens on this issue.

Sir, thank you for bearing with me while I tried to set the record straight before addressing a more important and positive purpose of my letter. I wish to express to you my heartfelt congratulations for your election victory, and as an American citizen pledge full support and loyalty to you in the coming years as my president. I pledge to you the same public prayer support we have given our president each Sunday morning in our worship services.

Eight years ago, I wrote President Reagan and encouraged him to defend the moral values of the Bible, to defend constitutional government, to build a strong defense against communism, to defend religious freedom in America, and to support the nation of Israel. President Reagan has earned our deep respect, and deserves our public commendation for doing all we could expect of one man in eight years striving to restore right to government.

As for Yassar Arafat, he is an international terrorist responsible for the torturing of

hostages and the murder of many innocent people including Americans. He is a man without a nation, without law, without reason, without respect, and therefore without any legal or moral basis to expect any rights within these United States of America. Perhaps we should even reconsider our decision of hosting the United Nations upon these shores.

We dare not bless them which curse Israel. God promised Abraham in Genesis 12:2, 3: "And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing: And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed." Loyalty to Israel gives God's promise of blessing to these United States of America. The local ministerial association may side with Arafat and the other nations of the world. I stand without qualifications or apology for God, the United States of America, and the nation of Israel!

Sincerely,  
Robert J. Barnett, Pastor  
Calvary Baptist Church  
Grayling

## Letters to the Editor

Your views are welcome on this page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

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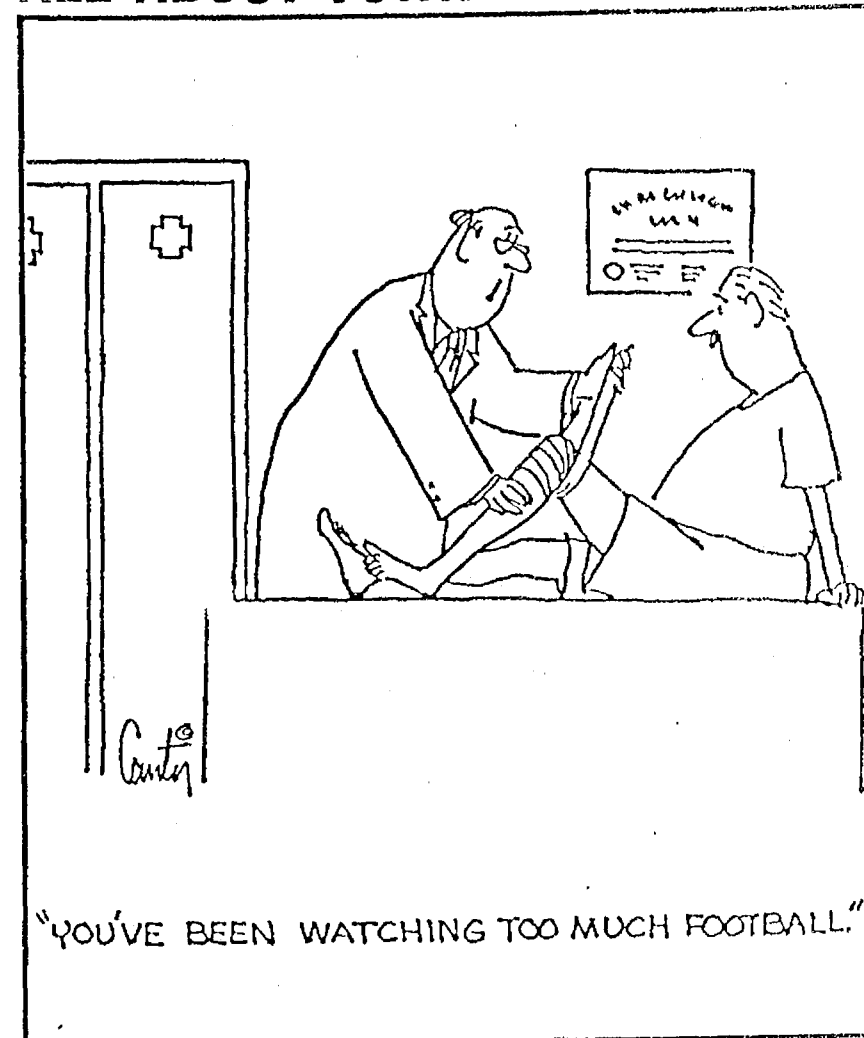
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## Opinions

### ALL ABOUT TOWN



## Northern Views

By Jon Thompson  
Avalanche Editor



It's getting close to one of the best times of our lives.

For children, opening presents on Christmas Day may be the high point of the holidays.

For many adults, the family reunions on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day are special.

For me, the days right before Christmas offer a third treat.

Genuine goodwill toward our fellow men and women seems to fill the air more than snowflakes during these few days of the year.

It takes just one act of kindness or generosity to give us the holiday spirit and

to make us feel a part of the big family of all humans. Every once in a while, doesn't it feel nice to belong? Doesn't it feel good to be united with all types of people?

Think of how much time people spend throughout the year arguing with other people, complaining about other people, and trying to get ahead of someone else.

Come the Christmas holidays and for a couple of precious days, most differences among humans fall along the wayside for a while.

It's like a cease-fire truce for the human family. Why not let your shields down? Extend your hand to help someone. And enjoy this human harmony. It doesn't come often.

## Almanack

By Richard Milliman  
Avalanche President



### Early Yuletide at Capitol

CHRISTMAS IS COMING a bit early for the governor, lieutenant governor, legislators and state judges, in the form of new and higher pay rates.

As regular as Santa Claus visits good little girls and boys, a group called the State Officers Compensation Commission (SOCC) has agreed to stuff fatter paychecks in the stockings of most top elected Michigan state officials.

Under Michigan's Constitution, a group of seven citizens, appointed by the governor, gets together each two years and takes a look at pay and expense levels for the governor, lieutenant governor, legislators and Supreme Court Justices.

After a series of public hearings — at which hardly anyone ever appears — the SOCC makes its recommendations to the legislature. Unless the lawmakers turn it down, whatever the SOCC recommends becomes effective.

Since 1968 — when the voters added this sad system for pay setting to the state constitution — the legislature has never turned down a raise yet. The lawmakers cannot be expected to buck the trend this year either.

THE PAY OF the governor will go from the present \$100,077 a year up to \$103,580 in 1989 and go up again to \$106,690 in 1990.

Biggest boost was authorized for the lieutenant governor; pay will rise from the present \$67,377 a year, up to \$80,300 in 1990. The reasoning given by the commissioners for the 19 percent pay hike for the lieutenant governor is to bring the pay level up to that of the most other state department heads. Whether that argument holds water is open to debate.

It's only been a few years ago that the lieutenant governor — whose primary job is presiding over sessions of the state senate — was paid the same rate as legislators. From all appearances, the job hasn't changed, but the pay has.

As for the lawmakers, pay will go from the present \$39,881, up to \$42,670 next year and up again to \$45,450 in 1990.

PRESENTLY, GOV. James Blanchard's pay is third highest among the nation's governors, trailing only New York and North Carolina.

I.A. Gov. Martha Griffiths' new pay level also will elevate her pay scale to third high-

est among her counterparts across the country, and state lawmakers also will end up in third place among state lawmakers, behind only New York at \$57,500 a year, and Pennsylvania at \$47,000.

Legislative leaders, including selected committee heads, also receive bonuses above the base pay for all lawmakers.

Supreme Court justices also will get more money. Present pay of \$100,000 a year will go up to \$103,500 next year and \$106,600 in 1990.

That will mean higher pay for judges across the state. Because of laws which tie other state and local judges' salaries to the level of pay for the state supreme court, the ripple effect will reach into every courthouse in Michigan.

State appeals court judges receive 96 percent of what supreme court justices are paid, circuit judges receive 92 percent, district court judges and probate court judges get 88 percent.

NOW THAT THE recommendations have been made, the seven members of the SOCC slide off into obscurity for another two years. Hardly anyone knows who they are, or what qualifications they hold for setting pay levels. They have no responsibility for their actions, except to their own consciences.

Meanwhile, representatives of the 35,000 state employees are jockeying for wage hikes, too. Their bids for five and six percent pay increases have been rejected as too high; they expect something in the 3 percent range.

The new state budget is being prepared by departments which have been told to cut their budget requests 9 to 12 percent, and stand ready to tighten belts.

Should the system of pay-setting be changed? Some observers think so, including this one.

The Detroit Free Press, for example, has editorialized that the SOCC system of pay levels being set by "an obscure, unelected commission is shameful. ... It's time to drop the SOCC charade and place the responsibility for such compensation decisions where it belongs: In the hands of their beneficiaries — and the voters who elect them."

Clearly it's time to at least take a long look at how we decide how much to pay our public officials.

## Michigan Mirror

By Warren M. Hoyt  
Michigan Press Association Director



### CONSERVATION GROUPS URGE TOUGHER LAWS TO RECOVER CLEANUP COSTS

The Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC) announced a renewed legislative effort in January for enactment of legislation to better enable the state to recover cleanup costs, provide administrative remedies and penalties for violations of pollution discharge permits and establish a new, more stringent fee structure for pollution dischargers seeking state permits.

MUCC Executive Director Thomas L. Washington said voter approval of bonding for environmental cleanup (Proposal C) says voters are willing to devote significant amounts of tax money for environmental cleanup projects, but those responsible need

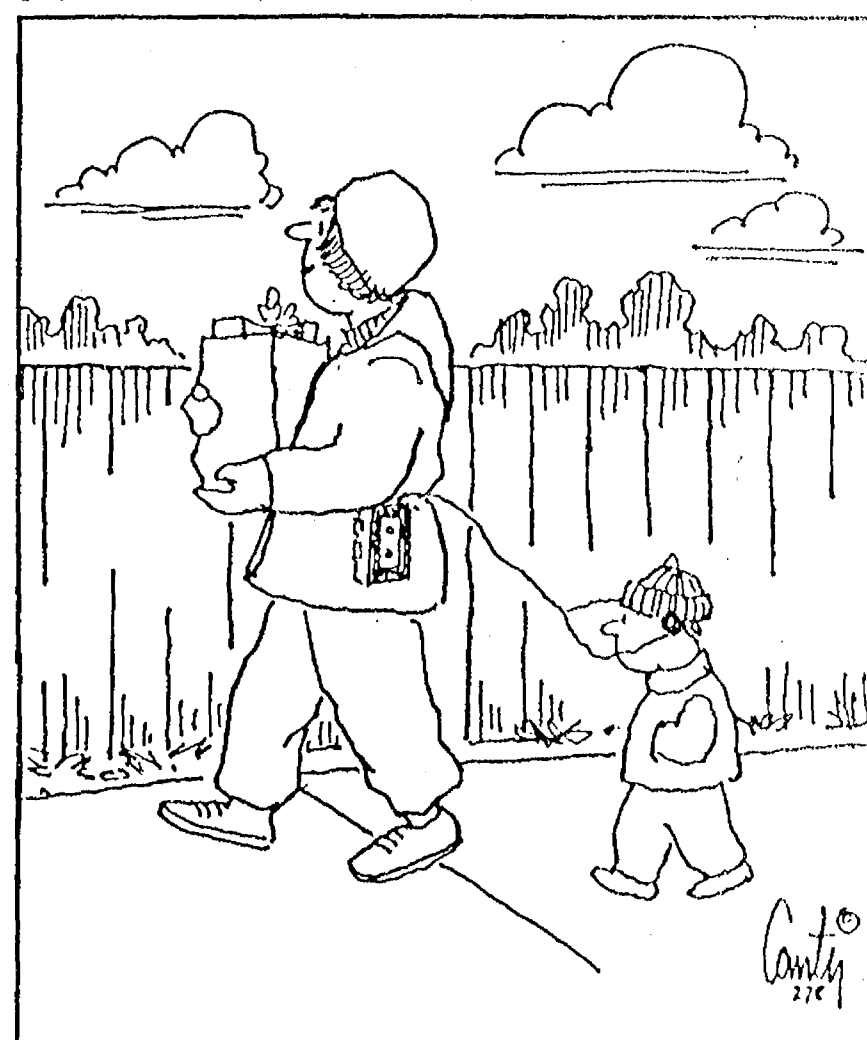
to pay their full share of pollution cleanup costs.

"There's no way that state taxpayers should have to shoulder the financial burden for these cleanup efforts," he said.

Mark Van Patten, director of the National Wildlife Federation's Great Lakes Natural Resource Center in Ann Arbor, said without more stringent enforcement of existing laws, backed up by stronger administrative fines and penalties, Proposal C cleanup funds won't go very far.

He added approval of the proposal by a 3-1 margin was a clear signal from Michigan voters that the time has come to crack down on all forms of environmental pollution and those responsible for causing it.

### ALL ABOUT TOWN





# A Look At Our Past

**23 Years Ago**  
December 16, 1965  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Nelson announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Mr. J.C. Edwin "Jerry" Millikin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Millikin. Elizabeth is employed at Grayling Mercy Hospital and Jerry works for his father. No date has been set for the wedding.

Bill Joseph will arrive home Friday from Albion College to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph.

Martelle Bobenmoyer was home for the weekend to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bobenmoyer and family. Martelle has a position with Sun Life of Canada in Lansing, and is staying with her sister Karen, who has changed jobs and is now working in a doctor's office, taking training to work with him later. Both girls were home the previous weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smock and Mrs. Susan Chappel spent the weekend at Lake Orion visiting the Roy Chappel family, where Mrs. Chappel expects to stay until after Christmas. They were joined on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mires and family of Flint and Miss

Cheryl Smock of MSU, East Lansing.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dale Howard Mead of Roscommon are the parents of a baby girl, Kara Lynn, born December 9. She weighed 8 lbs. 2 1/2 ozs.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gabriel of Grayling on Dec. 11th. He weighed 7 lbs. 5 1/4 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Galvani are pleased to announce the arrival of a daughter, Felicia Rose, born December 5, 1965, weighing 8 lbs. 15 ozs. and was 21 inches long.

**46 Years Ago**  
December 17, 1942

Art Weideman of Detroit was the weekend guest of Miss Monica Brady. Art came up by train.

Miss Lois Bradley spent the past week as a guest of Miss Maurine Ward at Allegan, returning home Monday.

Linda Lou is the name of the little daughter born Thursday at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smock (Bernita Chappel). Just about as happy as the parents are the grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liland Smock and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Chappel as this is their first grandchild.

Harold Tubbs, manager of Ogemaw state game area, is convinced that some deer know what all the shooting is about and when it is definitely over. Three smart bucks having racks of six, eight and ten point antlers respectively showed up at headquarters on the day after the deer season ended for their first feed of corn (put out for the refuge's small semi-herd) since bird season opened.

Miss Beatrice Peterson, who teaches at Standish is leaving Friday for Los Angeles, California, to spend her holiday vacation. Accompanying her will be Miss Sylvia Barret of Standish.

Neighbors and friends dropped in on Mr. and Mrs. John Stephan at their down river home, Tuesday evening, bringing many lovely gifts, congratulations for the past and best wishes for the future. The occasion was their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

The evening was spent at cards and other games, and a lovely lunch was served.

**69 Years Ago**  
December 18, 1919

Miss Vera Matson, who is taking a special business course at Ferris Institute, is expected home Friday afternoon to spend a week's vacation. Miss Janet Matson expects to go back with her for a few days visit.

Miss Alice Austin visited her parents in West Branch last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. M. Hanson left for Bay City today to meet Miss Lucille who is returning from St. Mary's of the Woods College in Indiana to spend her vacation.

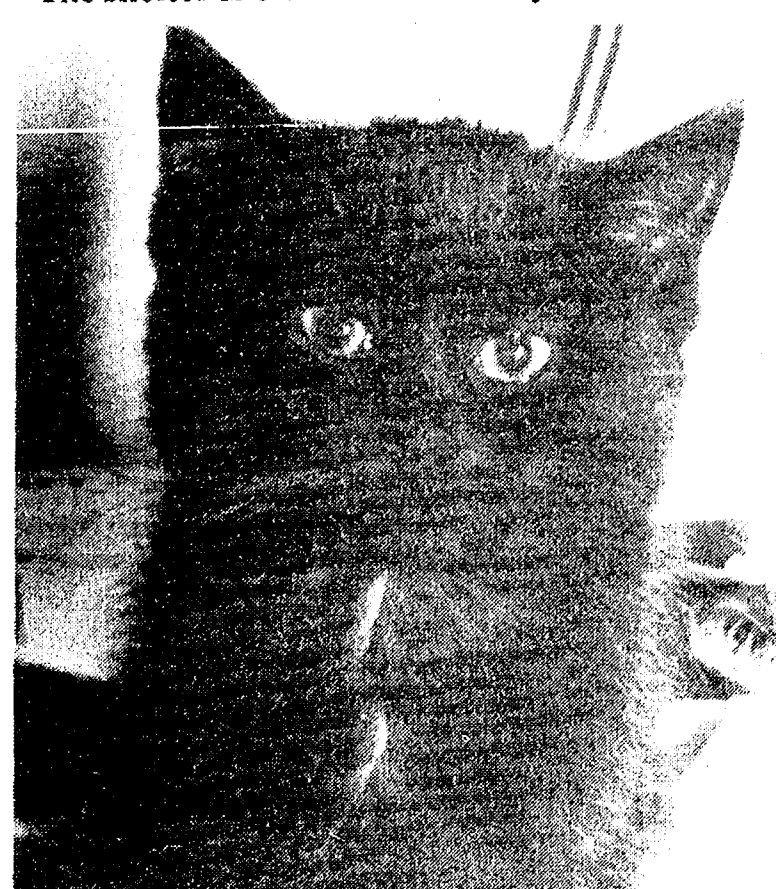
Miss Augusta Kraus was in Bay City over Sunday, the guest of Miss Marie Foreman.

Mrs. J.E. Herron was in Bay City the first of the week.

The Salling Hanson Co. planing mill closed down Friday of last week for the winter. For the past six months it has been operated by Messrs. Einer Rasmusson and Carl Larson.



**HUGGABLE PUPPIES** — These puppies are waiting patiently for a little girl or boy to romp with in the snow or to curl up beside during Sesame Street. They can be seen at the Crawford County Animal Shelter, Monday through Friday from 1-3 p.m. and on weekends from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The shelter is closed on Thursdays.



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Robert Bovee, Chairman of the Board, asks that interested persons write to him by January 9, 1989 at Kirtland Community College, 10775 N. St. Helen Road, Roscommon, MI 48653, stating their interest, background, and reasons for seeking the appointment.

Candidates will be interviewed at the regular meeting of the Board on January 12, 1989.

## Commission on Aging

Crafts have started up again on Mondays at 1 p.m. Lots of fun, sharing and learning experiences to be had along with tea and conversation. Anyone welcome to join in.

There will be a Dial-a-Ride bus available at the center to take those that need a ride to the Christmas dinner dance at the K of C Hall on December 15th. The bus will leave the center at 4:30 and pick up

at the K of C at 6:30. Just give us a call at the office (348-7123 or 348-8031) if you need a ride.

Menu and Activities for week of December 19 thru 23:

Monday, December 19-10:00-Exercise class; 1:00-AARP Christmas party; 1:00-Crafts; 3:00-Songbirds; 5:00-Dinner (Sloppy Joes).  
Tuesday, December 20-1:00-Bowling; 1:00-RSVP

Cards; 3:00-Kitchen Band; 4:30-Salad Bar; 5:00-Dinner (Short Ribs); 5:30-Dir. of Adult Education in Crawford County.

Wednesday, December 21-10:00-Quilting; 1:00-Stag Party; 1:00-Swimmercise; 5:00-Dinner (Breaded Veal cutlet).

Thursday, December 22-2:00-Social Studies; 5:00-Dinner (Chicken Nuggets).

Friday, December 23-24-25-26 The center will be close

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## Bowling Leagues

### PIONEER LEAGUE

1. Bear's Country Inn.....35 1/2  
2. Dawsons.....34  
3. Avalanche.....28  
4. Skip's Sport Shop.....28  
5. Chemical Bank.....27  
6. Millikin.....27  
7. Al Bennett.....26  
8. Amer. Leg. Aux.....18 1/2

High Series: C. Jones 565, K. Moshier 514, D. Anthony 512.

High Game: C. Jones 214, M. Perez 201, M. Miller 190.

### SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN LEAGUE

1. Spike's.....39 1/2  
2. Moose.....34  
3. Sawmill.....32  
4. Plaza.....27 1/2  
5. Legion.....25  
6. Murdicks.....23  
7. Grayling Restaurant.....22  
8. Helsel's.....21

High Series: K. Best 548, T. Kotrash 539, R. Parkhurst 515.

High Game: M. Harwood 222, T. Kotrash 201, K. Best 194.

High Series: K. Ashton 499, B. Walker 479, M. St. Clair 470.

High Game: K. Ashton 192, M. St. Clair 189, B. Helsel & A. Mathey 177.

### RECREATION LEAGUE

1. Bear's.....39  
2. Oxbow.....35  
3. Ole Dam.....25  
4. Cornells.....25

5. Perez CPA.....23 1/2

6. Glen's.....22

7. Fabiano.....21

8. Holiday.....17 1/2

High game: B. Pryor 200, D. Zelek 194, M. Malone 192.

High Series: M. Perez 527, D. Zelek 511, S. Hoffman 509.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE 1st DIVISION

1. Helsel Firewood.....37 1/2

2. R.R. Repair.....33

3. Farm Bureau.....32

4. Continental Rental.....32

5. Cornell Realty.....25

6. Alley Jumpers.....23

7. D.D.C.....21

8. Fast Break.....20 1/2

High Series: D. DeHart 580, D. Canfield 549, J. Felts 530.

High Game: J. Felts 219, D. DeHart 207, D. Canfield 204.

### FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES

1. Moshier Sales & Service.....32

2. Custom Interiors.....32

3. A.J.D. Forest Products.....29

4. CSI.....28

5. Cal Schreiber Builders.....22

6. Airway Automation.....11

Week of 12-2-88

High Game: T. Brooks 202, J.C. King 186, M. Campbell 186.

High Series: T. Brooks 579, J.C. King 524, M. Campbell 513.

High Game: F. Brooks 191, K. Moshier 182, N. Glaslee 177.

High Series: F. Brooks 501, N. Glaslee 478, K. Moshier 463.

Week of 12-9-88

High Game: J.C. King 201, D. Schrieber 188, T. Vandecar 186.

High Series: J.C. King 514, A. Gilman 511, H. Glaslee 506.

High Game: C. Schrieber 186, M. McClanahan 175, K. Moshier 168.

High Series: K. Moshier 481, N. Glaslee 474, C. Schrieber 466.

### NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

1. Helsel's Firewood.....38

2. Bubble's Belles.....34

3. Laurines.....33

4. Parsons Adv.....31

5. Down River Pines.....30

6. New Life.....28

7. Grayling Floor Covering.....25

8. Goodale's Bakery.....21

High Game: N. Cinciala 242, L. Whelton 202, S. Romain 201.

High Series: S. Romain 553, N. Cinciala 537, J. Cragg 507.

### THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE

1. Spike's.....38

2. Parsons Adv.....34

3. Grayling Floor Covering.....33 1/2

4. Plaza Bar.....33

5. Ghost.....27

6. Cedar.....23

7. Gates.....18

8. AuSable Const.....17 1/2

High Game: B. Walker 195, M. Tarr & L. Messerschmidt 189, T. Papendick 180.

High Series: B. Walker 530, T. Papendick 466, M. Canfield 465.

### NATIONAL 1st DIVISION

1. Eagles #3465.....37

2. Red Barn.....27 1/2

3. Legion Lounge.....26

4. Budweiser.....25

5. Carlisle Paddles.....24

6. G-P Resin.....24

7. Bear's Country Inn.....23 1/2

8. Northland Appliance.....20

High Series: J. Smock 588, L. Davis 587, R. Parkhurst 549.

High Game: J. Smock 212, R. Pryor 211, L. Davis 204.

### SENIOR CITIZENS

1. Buccilli's Pizza.....37

2. Flowers by Josie.....36

3. McLean's Hardware.....35

4. Great Lakes Federal.....30

5. Ernie's Flea Mkt.....29

6. Larry & Joan's.....28

7. Cornell Ins.....15

8. R & H Sports.....14

High Series: G. Wolfe 615, B. Burick 537, R. Pryor 513.

High Game: G. Wolfe 234, B. Burick 196, E. Wilde 195.

High Series: B. Cline 540, D. Bellanger 507, B. Pryor 476.

High Game: D. Bellanger 197, B. Cline 191, 183.

### AMERICAN 2nd DIVISION

1. McLeans Ace.....37

2. Northland Appliance.....34

3. American Legion.....27

4. Ponton Auto Service.....27

5. Auto Parts Center.....26

6. Wilse Carpet.....25

7. Skip's.....25

8. Patti's Town House.....23

High Game: D. Donaldson 573, D. Porter 561, G. Goodman 561.

High Game: G. McLaughlin 236, D. Donaldson 217, G. Goodman 198.

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### Eye Care News

Richard P. Ferrigan  
Certified Optician

Q. My friend wears one contact lens for seeing at a distance and another for reading and other close work. Is it okay to do that?

A. Yes. This is called monovision. It is a popular way to provide good vision at all seeing distances for people over 40, most of whom have presbyopia, a vision condition which affects reading vision and is part of the normal aging process. Many also need help to see clearly at a distance. Bifocal contact lenses are another option but the prescription parameters are limited right now. So they won't work for everyone. Most people can adapt to monovision. Those who need help only for seeing up close wear only one contact lens. Any type of contacts—hard, soft, gas permeable and extended-wear can be used with monovision. People over 40 have more complicated vision demands than younger persons. It is important, therefore, to seek care from an optometrist willing to give your eyes the extra time and attention they need.

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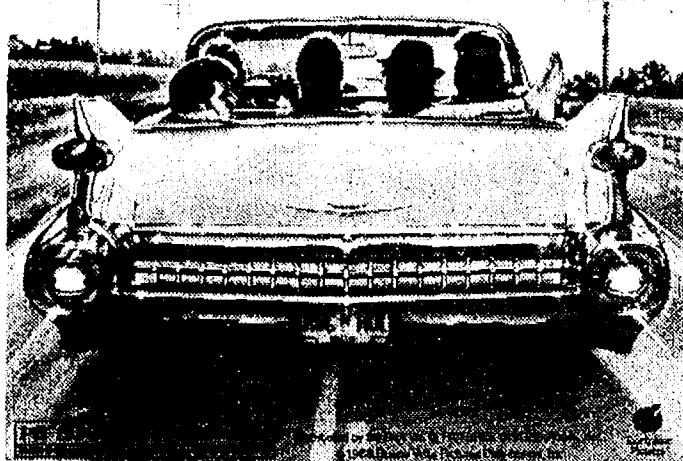
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JoAnn K. Manier and Lt. Col. Neal J. Michal Jr. were united in marriage on August 19, 1988 at the Camp Grayling Chapel. A formal military wedding was performed by Rev. Jeffery D. Regan.

Music was by Mark and Heather Ralph of Roscommon, with Heather singing "I Love for Your Love" and both singing "There'll be Sad Songs."

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Grayling High School and is presently employed at the Grayling Restaurant.

The groom is presently assigned as the Chief of the Training Division of the Military Dept. of Indiana, located in Indianapolis, and has 29 years of service in the U.S. Army.

The bride wore an Ivory satin tea length dress with a bias overlay trimmed in pearls and satin. Her headpiece was a netted Ivory hat with pearls and netting. The bride carried a cascading bouquet of sonia roses, stephanotis, ivy, and trimmed in pearls and ivory satin streamers.

Standing up for the bride was Maid of Honor, cousin of the bride, Marcia Rutter of Grayling. Bridesmaids were Sandy Sharp, of Grayling, Jane Carey, of Harrison, and Sandy Moore of Grayling.

The bridesmaids wore satin tea length peach dresses with a overlay of lace. Each one carried a cascading bouquet of fragrant sonia roses, and ivy with ivory satin streamers. Cousin of the bride, Teresa Legg, of Ironwood, was the flowergirl. She carried a basket of ivy and sonia rose petals, which were tossed in front of the bride before she walked down the aisle.

Best man for the groom was Capt. Randy Jones from Kokomo, Indiana. Groomsman was LTC Jim Hascal, from Ft. Benjamin, Harrison, IN., son of the groom, SSG Mark Michal from Monticello, IN., and SFC Gary Hinkle from Forest, IN.

Ring bearer was the son of the bride, Justin Manier, of

Grayling. Saber Honor Guards were, MAJ. Charles Cox, MAJ. Paul Skinner, MAJ. David Shorter, MAJ. Dick Dillon, CPT. Nick Cheesman, CPT. John Barker, SGM. Ed Cooper, CSM. Troy Clapp, MSG. Dennis Loddell, SFC. William Simmons, MAJ. Calvin Wimbish, and SFC. Frank Henninger. SGT. Robert Craig was sergeant of the honor guard.

All grooms attendants wore U.S. Army dress blue uniforms with white shirt, black tie and white gloves. All were members of the Indiana National Guard.

The chapel altar was decorated with peach gladiolus and white stock flowers, accented with a spray of green foliage.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held at the Camp Grayling Officers Club. Music was provided by the High Society Wise Guys, Grayling.

The wedding cake was made by and a gift to the bride and groom by Sandy Moore and decorated by Beth Wieland, both from Grayling. The three tiered cake was trimmed in sonia roses and topped with a hand blown glass basket with wedding bells and doves accented with peach and ivory baby's breath.

There was 175 guests, with out-of-town guests from Illinois, Indiana, New York, and California.

After the reception the couple went to Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula, and will be residing in Indianapolis, Ind.

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After a brief business meeting, members of the High School S.A.D.D. — Stu-

dents Against Drunk Driving, presented an interesting discussion concerning how they hope to encourage all high school students as well as adults not to drink and drive. They are a very committed and caring group of young people.

There will not be a P.T.A. meeting in January due to the holidays. Our next meeting will be the first Monday in February with a program on how to improve communication skills.

### Frederic News

Children from Frederic and Maple Forest areas will be able to visit with Santa and tell him what they want for Christmas Saturday, December 17, at the Frederic town hall from Noon to 3:00 p.m. There will be hot chocolate and cookies served and each child will receive a gift from Santa. The visit is sponsored by W.I.F. and Frederic Volunteer Fire Dept.

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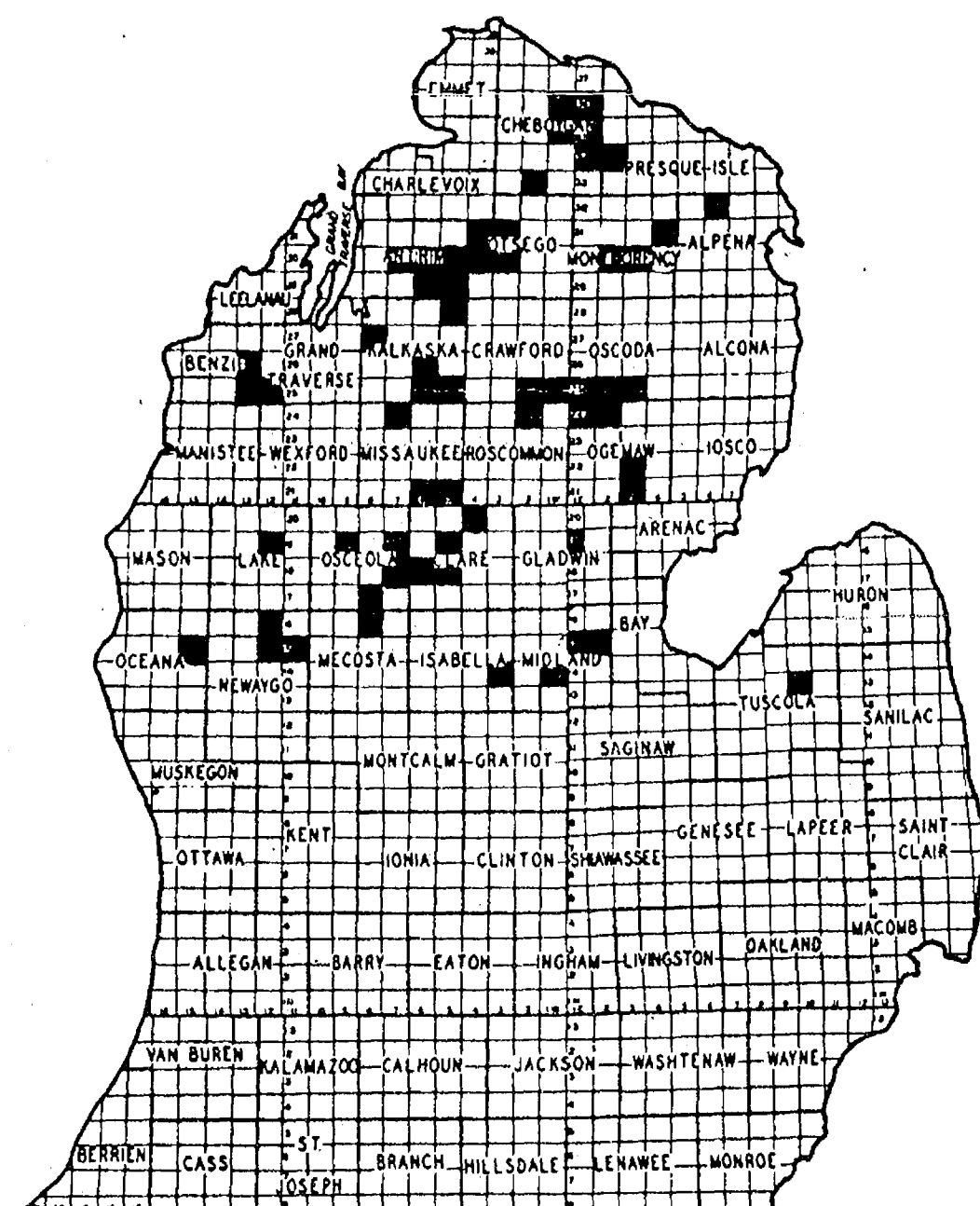
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CRAWFORD: South Branch, (T25N, R5, 1 & 2W)  
GLADWIN: Secord, (T19N, R1E)  
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ISABELLA: Chipewaga, (T14N, R3W)  
KALKASKA: Garfield, Oliver, Kalkaska, Blue Lake, (T25N, R5, 6 & W, T26N, R6W, T27N, R8W, T28N, R5W)  
LAKE: Newkirk, (T19N, R12W)  
NECOSTA: Chipewaga, (T16N, R8W)  
MIDLAND: Lee, Lincoln, Larkin, (T14N, R1W, T15N, R5, 1 & 2E)  
MUSKOGEE: Holland, Clan Union, Pioneer, (T21N, R5, 6 & W, T24N, R7W)  
MONTGOMERY: Riley, Avery, Hillman, (T30N, R2, 3 & 4E, T31N, R4E)  
NEWAYGO: Norwich, Montee, Home, (T15N, R5, 11 & 12W, T16N, R12W)  
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OSCEOLA: Ewart, Sylvan, Middle Branch, Rose Lake, (T17N, R1W, T18N, R7W, T19N, R5, 7 & 9W)  
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Surface owners of lands where the State-owned mineral rights are being offered will be notified prior to the lease sale.

Detailed maps showing the location of the lands proposed to be offered at the sale, and their classification, are available for review by all interested parties in the following State of Michigan DNR offices: Forest Management Division, Stevens T. Mason Building, Lansing; DNR Regional Headquarters located at 8717 N. Roscommon Road, Roscommon and General Office Building, State Secondary Complex, Dimondale; Michigan DNR District offices located at 1732 W. M-32, Gaylord; 8015 S. 131 Road, Cadillac; 191 S. Mt. Tom Road, Mio; 501 Hemlock St., Clare; 350 Ottawa, NW, Grand Rapids; 715 S. Cedar Street, Imlay City.

Maps may also be obtained by submitting to the Forest Management Division, DNR, Box 30028, Lansing, MI 48909, a stamped, pre-addressed envelope for each township for which a map is desired. THE NAME OF THE COUNTY, TOWNSHIP, TOWNSHIP AND RANGE NUMBERS MUST BE CLEARLY IDENTIFIED IN THE LOWER LEFT-HAND CORNER OF EACH ENVELOPE. If maps for all of these townships are desired, please contact the Real Estate Division, Box 30028, Lansing, Michigan 48909, (517/373-7663).

Written comments by interested parties relative to the classification of any description must be received by the Forest Management Division at the address specified above NOT LATER THAN January 30, 1989. Any requests for change in classification must specify the reason, and will be considered by the Department prior to offering the lease rights at public auction, with final classification to be set at the sole discretion of the Natural Resources Commission.

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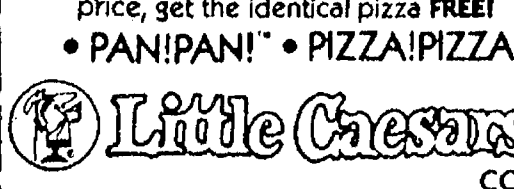
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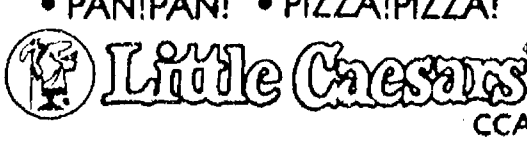
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Our sympathy to the George Frye family of Higgins Lake. Frye was chairman of the board at Kirtland Community College. Services for him were held Friday, December 2, 1988, at St. Hubert's Church, Higgins Lake.

The Tuesday (formerly Wednesday) Bridge Club held their annual Christmas party at the home of Marian Welsh on December 13. Bridge was played, a delicious lunch was served and favors were given out.

Wayne Casler, a sophomore at Michigan State, will be home for his December Christmas break. Susan Casler, a freshman at Oak-

land University, will be home for her Christmas break. Another daughter, Kristin Casler of Philadelphia, is expected for the New Year's holiday. Kristin is a newspaper reporter for the Burlington County Times.

Cathy Lester and two boys, Henry and Arthur, will arrive from Perranporth, Cornwall, England, next week to spend three weeks with her parents, Joe and Faith Stripe. The boys are hoping for lots of snow to enjoy the skiing. Claude Lester is teaching in Saudi Arabia and unable to join his family for the holidays.

F.J. McClain of Redford spent the weekend with Art and Monica Weideman. He came to do some deer hunting with his muzzle loader.

### Warren Vallad

Warren E. Vallad, 89, a longtime resident of Kalkaska, died Wednesday, December 7, 1988, at his residence.

Mr. Vallad moved to Kalkaska from Grayling in 1927. He had been self employed as a wholesale and retail petroleum dealer, real estate broker, and sport shop owner. Mr. Vallad was a member of The Peoples Church, a charter member and past president of the Kalkaska Rotary Club, and was honored by the club as a Paul Harris Fellow. He was one of the founders of the National Trout Festival, and was the 1986 Kalkaska Citizen of the Year. He was an avid outdoorsman.

Mr. Vallad was born in Crawford County on August 3, 1899, to Gilbert and Nina Buck Vallad. He was married on October 13, 1923, in Crawford County to Myrtle Stephan who survives.

Also surviving are 1 son, Ross Vallad of Kalkaska; 1 daughter, Sara Anderson of Kalkaska; 6 grandchildren; and 10 great grandchildren.

Five sisters and two brothers preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, December 9, 1988, at the Wolfe Funeral Home in Kalkaska. Rev. Paul Karges, pastor of the Peoples Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Maple Forest Cemetery, Crawford County.

Memorial gifts may be made to The Peoples Church Building Fund.

### Max Tobin

Max E. Tobin, age 84, of Nokomis, Florida passed away on December 9, 1988 at Mercy Hospital, Grayling.

Born in Frederic on October 3, 1904, where he resided until he retired and moved to Florida in 1971.

He is survived by his wife, Beatrice (Wixson) Tobin, two sons, Edward Dean, and wife, Mert, of Maple Forest, and Willard (Bill) and his wife, Loretta, of Grayling, 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, 1 aunt, Irene Cram, and 1 cousin, James Cram.

Funeral services were held on Monday, December 12, at 3:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Frederic, with Pastor Ken Haley officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery in Frederic.

Pallbearers were grandsons Max Tobin, Jim Tobin, Tim Tobin, Rocky Tobin, John Tobin, and Loren Williams.

Arrangements were handled by Sorenson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rose Perry spent three weeks in Lake Charles, Louisiana, visiting her daughter, Sharon Lynch. Sharon's 15-month-old daughter, Nikki, had heart surgery in New Orleans and Rose went down to help her family.

Steve and Julie Houlton and daughter, Amber, of Fairbanks, Alaska, will be arriving in Grayling shortly after Christmas for a two-week visit with her father, Art Thayer and other relatives. Their son, Aaron, will be unable to come as he has a basketball tournament to attend in Washington State.

Richard and Cathy Wirtjes, children, Allison, Nathan, and Justin, moved during October from Whitmore Lake to a home near Frederic. Richard is employed by Social Services. Cathy is the daughter of Elmer Dunham and the late Patricia Dunham.

Bob Bovee was the speaker at the Crystal Lake-

Beulah Kiwanis Club on Tuesday evening. He told the group about the work of the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation which helps support recreation for children who are patients at C.S. Mott, Mary Free Bed and Northern Michigan hospitals. Fay accompanied him to the dinner meeting.

Dick Joseph, a lawyer with the firm of Simpson and Moran, has transferred from their Birmingham office to their Charlevoix office. He is now living in Charlevoix.

Joyce Easterly spent three weeks on South Fox Island where she was cook for the hunting camp. There were 79 deer hunters and every one of them was successful.

Dale and Irene Peterson and Jim and Dalene Corlew spent the Thanksgiving weekend with the Peterson's other daughter and family, Pam and Gord Bogart at Edmore.



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Cheryl L. Hopp  
Lovells Township Clerk

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## Lovells

By Ruth Caldwell

Word was received of the death of Mrs. Virginia Myers who passed away the early part of November. Mr. and Mrs. Myers were former caretakers at Reid Lodge and have many friends who extend their deepest sympathy to the family.

Senior Citizen Day is Friday, December 16, starting with blood pressures being taken at 11:30, dinner at 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Bertolo returned to their home in Minnesota after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gimo Bertolo.

Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the Town Hall on Friday, December 16 at 7 p.m. There will be a gift exchange.

The Community Christmas party will be at the Town Hall on Saturday, December 17, starting with a potluck supper at 6:30 followed by games and a visit from Santa.

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# Sports

## Grayling Girls Receive Basketball Team Awards

The Varsity girls basketball team's Most Valuable Player (MVP) Award was shared this year by Lori Gust and Melanie Ojala. The Team Awards, which are voted on by team members and the coaching staff, were presented by Coach Howard Lehti at the team's annual Awards Banquet held on Monday, December 5, in the Grayling High School cafeteria.

The 110% Award, the award for the player who consistently gives more than is expected, was given to Patti Tremblay.

The Honorary Team Captains Award, presented at the conclusion of the season, went to Patti Tremblay and Lori Gust.

Margarita Perez and Heather Stephenson shared the Most Improved Player Award.

"It was nice to see Margarita mature from her last J.V. game to the beginning of Varsity try-outs," said Coach Lehti. "It was enjoyable, not only for myself but for my coaching staff to see the progress Margarita made over the summer."

"For Heather to step from the J.V. team as a freshman and jump into the position of fourth leading scorer of the league as a sophomore, I believe indicates the degree of her skills and dedication to the sport of basketball."

Melanie Ojala, Peggy Kraus, Aimee Rochette and Margarita Perez all tied for the Scholastic GPA Award. All juniors, these players maintained a perfect 4.0 grade point average (GPA) for the entire nine weeks of the basketball season.

"We will be applying for our academic all-state again this year," Lehti stated. "This award is based on the

accumulative team average as of semester time after January 20th."

Names to be added to the Viking Award Plaque, permanently displayed in the GHS trophy case, include: players having 60 or more assists in a single season: Melanie Ojala (85), Lori Gust (77), and Patti Tremblay (63); rebounds: Lori Gust with 242; and the MVP Award: Lori Gust and Melanie Ojala.

"Needless to say, we were very pleased with this year's girls team," said Coach Lehti. "They were certainly very successful."

The five seniors on the team, in the two years they played together, racked up a 32-11 win/loss record.

Three members of the Grayling Varsity girls basketball team were named to the Michigan Huron Shores League's All Conference Team. Selected for the First Team were seniors, Lori Gust and Patti Tremblay, and junior, Melanie Ojala.

Gust led the Grayling team in rebounding with 242. She scored 198 points, had 72 assists, and made 40 steals.

"Lori was the spark plug on the team," said Coach Howard Lehti. "She is a very energetic, conscientious young lady, and as a result during the less than perfect times she could always be counted upon to provide the necessary direction needed

by the team." Tremblay is a heady ball player and served as the offensive captain in the point guard position. She scored 156 points, had 188 rebounds, 63 assists, and made 30 steals.

"Patti often played the point guard position, the 'floor general's' position, and had the ability to get things rolling in the right direction," said Coach Lehti. "The team has two or three different offensive sets," he said, "and it was Patti's job to make sure that our offense was running smoothly."

Ojala was the fifth leading scorer in the league. Last year, as a sophomore, Ojala

was the 10th leading scorer in the league. She was the leading scorer on the Grayling team with 232 points. She had 161 rebounds, led the team in assists (82), and made a spectacular 100 steals.

"Melanie has been on the Varsity team for two years," said Lehti. "She improved her defensive game this year (her offensive game was intact last year). She is becoming a total player, developing a nice jump shot. We are looking forward to having Melanie back next year. Her competitive attitude is contagious to the other members of the squad."

Receiving Honorable Mention by the conference were Deanna Phelps and Heather Stephenson.

Phelps is a senior and played a key roll on the defensive team. Because of her height and position close to the basket Phelps worked as the defensive captain and directed the inside action of the team. She had 180 rebounds, 127 points, 6 assists, and 10 steals.

"Deanna's rebounding will really be missed next year," stated Lehti. "In her last five ball games, she played the best that anyone could have asked from her, finishing the season very strong."

Sophomore, Heather Ste-

phenson, was the fourth leading scorer in the league with 207 points. She had 166 rebounds, 42 assists and 47 steals.

"Heather was very successful as a sophomore," Lehti said. "We are looking forward to having her on the team for the next two years. She and Melanie will play important roles in next year's team."

Although these five players, honored by the conference, provided the leadership for the Grayling unit, Lehti said that their outstanding records would not have been possible without the support and participation of their nine teammates.



Lori Gust



Patti Tremblay



Melanie Ojala



Deanna Phelps



Heather Stephenson

## Petoskey, T.C. Beat Matmen in Opener

The Grayling matmen opened the season against some tough teams, losing to Petoskey and Traverse City, but by the end of the year Grayling may have its revenge.

Grayling and Petoskey, perennial league wrestling powers, usually clash in a dual match at the end of the year.

Grayling has a young team this year, a group coach Don Ferguson sometimes jokingly calls his "kiddie corps," and they weren't quite ready to beat class A Traverse City and class B Petoskey yet.

"We'll be better later in

the year," said Ferguson. "We're rebuilding right now."

Ferguson and his matmen have made Grayling a powerhouse in wrestling for many years winning team trophies at tournaments, districts, regionals, and placing as high as 5th in the state. Grayling wrestlers have also captured individual state championships.

So the opening season losses won't slow down the matmen.

Brian Kernstock, at 189 pounds, led the team with 2 wins last Thursday, Dec. 8. Winning one match were

Chad Broeker, 103, Andy Moore 112, Terry Sorenson, 119, Glen Willoughby, 140, Todd Thorsen, 152, John Gay 160, and Rusty Argue 171. Also wrestling for Grayling were Frank Wildfong, Jamie Montoya, Tyrone Stallard, and Kevin Hinderleider.

The Vikings had to forfeit 12 points at the 125-pound slot and heavyweight slot.

The matmen wrestle at Charlevoix against Onaway and Charlevoix Wednesday, Dec. 14. They travel to Roscommon Saturday, Dec. 17, for a 13-team tournament.

## Vikings Lose Home Opener to Cheboygan

A tough Cheboygan press ruined Grayling's home opener Friday, Dec. 9, as the Vikings lost 78-57.

Cheboygan's press helped open the game with a 19-1 run over Grayling. That lead stayed about the same the

rest of the night for Cheboygan. They led 29-11, 54-25, and 67-42 at the quarter marks.

"It was a strong press and we didn't handle it well," said Viking coach Tom Mills. "We should have scored a lot. We had 20 offensive rebounds and missed opportunities after opportunity."

Chris Skidmore had 22 points to lead Grayling. Tony Doremire scored 10, Fred Shippy 7, Jim Abney 6, Jeremie Mead 4, Marty Jung 4, Kirk Annis 3, and Craig Hudson 1.

"Skidmore had a good 2nd half," said Mills, "and Doremire and Shippy did a good job coming off the bench. Jung also played outstanding defense."

The Vikings, after opening the season with a win at Kalkaska, lost at Houghton Lake Tuesday, Dec. 6, 69-54.

Grayling outscored Houghton Lake from the field but lost points at the free throw line. The Vikings converted 3 of 10 while Houghton Lake made 23 of 32 free throws.

The Vikings could have overcame the free throws with better field goal shooting but made only 21 of 95 shots.

"The outside shot was there for us, they just weren't falling," said Mills. "We should have scored a lot. We had 20 offensive rebounds and missed opportunities after opportunity."

Craig Hudson and Bud Ostrowski led the team with 12 each. Abney scored 9 with 12 rebounds and 5 blocked shots. Brian Palmer scored 6 and Annis had 4 points and 9 rebounds. Skidmore and Doremire scored 4 each, Ted Baynham 3, Mead and Jung 2 each.

Grayling plays at Charlevoix Friday, Dec. 16, plays Petoskey there Tuesday, Dec. 20, and plays Rogers City at home in a game switched from Friday, Dec. 23, to Thursday, Dec. 22.

The Viking junior varsity team had a good comeback run out of time against Cheboygan in 50-41 loss. Grayling was down by 25 points with 7 minutes to go and managed to cut the lead to 8 with about a minute left. Shane Fraser led the team with 15 points and 6 rebounds against Cheboygan. Karl Mead scored 6 and Ron Doe had 6 also.

The J.V.'s were outscored 21-13 in the second quarter against Houghton Lake and never caught up in a 67-58 loss. The team had 19 steals and 7 blocked shots but picked up 28 fouls.

Fraser again led with 14 points. Matt Branch scored 13 and led with 10 rebounds. Mead had 7 points and Bob Harris 6.

## 3 Earn All-Conference MHSC Football Honors

John Gay, leading tackler for the Grayling Vikings, was named to the Michigan Huron Shores League's All-Conference football team. Gay was one of 21 high school athletes selected for this honor.

Gay, a senior, was captain for the Grayling team, and was selected by his teammates as the Most Valuable Player (MVP). The Grayling coaching staff presented him with the Hitter Award.

Next fall, Gay will be trying out for a spot on the Northern Michigan University football team.

"John was a team leader on and off the field," stated Coach Don Stowers. "He showed leadership off the field by participating in the summer weight program (the only senior to do so), and improved his strength because of his hard work."

Stowers said that Gay was

a good example of sportsmanship, and was a good citizen on the field, as he continues to be at school.

"John received these awards because he worked hard," Stowers said, "and that's the kind of person who should receive awards." Stowers said that he believed that it was significant that the players selected him as their most valuable player, because so did the coaches.

"They agreed with us," said Stowers.

Receiving Honorable Mention were seniors, Rusty Argue and Ted Baynham.

Argue was Grayling's leading scorer, with nine touchdowns. He also led the team in total yardage, gaining over 1000 yards.

Argue won the coaches' Outstanding Back Award.

"Rusty Argue was a good runner," said Coach Stowers. "He had an explosive punch coming through the line. If the team had had a better season," said Stowers, "he probably would have made a lot more points."

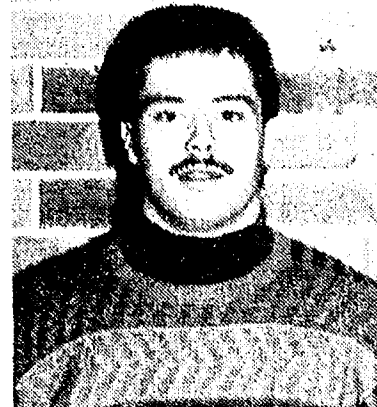
Rusty's "big thing" was carrying the football, said Stowers, and he did that better than anyone else on the team.

Baynham played offensive tackle and offensive center and on defense, he played defensive end and defensive guard. The Grayling coaching staff awarded Baynham the Outstanding Lineman Award.

"Ted Baynham is an all-around good young man,

who is well-liked by his classmates," said Stowers. "He was an unselfish member of the team, playing several games with a painfully injured thumb."

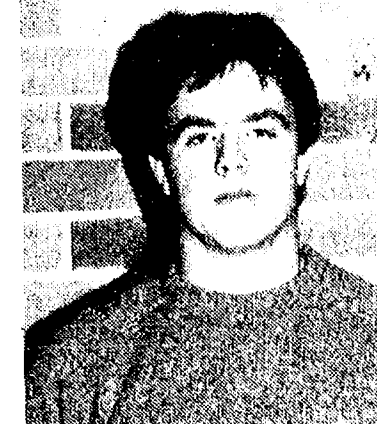
Coach Stowers stated that the three players honored provided leadership to the Viking football team, and held the respect of both their coaches and their teammates.



John Gay



Rusty Argue



Ted Baynham

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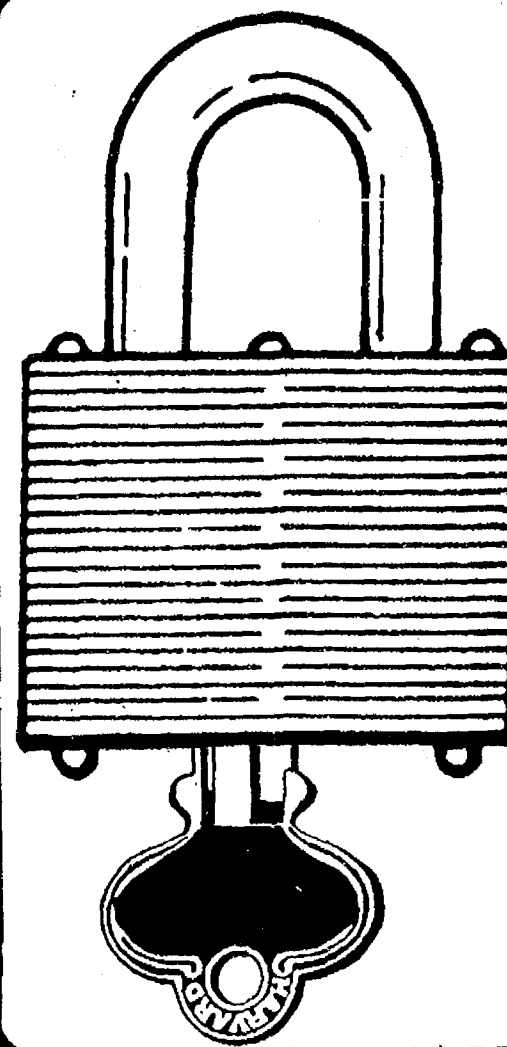
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Which college football coach won the most bowl games in history?... Answer is Bear Bryant who won 15 bowl games during his career.

Oddly enough, there was a football game in 1988 that was played on 2 different fields — on the same day... The game was between Troy (Ala.) State and visiting Southeast Missouri State on Sept. 3... It started in Troy's Memorial Stadium—but the lights in the stadium failed early in the 4th quarter... School officials decided to continue the game at a lighted practice field a third of a mile away... It's believed that's the only college game in history that started on one field and finished on another the same day.

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**SUNDAY**  
2:00 pm-6:00 pm  
Luzerne  
**American Legion**  
2/20f1

**SUNDAY**  
6:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.  
**AMVETS Post 13**  
AuSable Rd. off Old 27  
(SW side of Higgins Lake)  
**HIGGINS LAKE**  
2/25f-18

**MONDAY**  
**HANSON HILLS BINGO**  
7:00 p.m.  
**AT THE K O F C HALL**  
604 Norway St., Grayling  
9/4f1

**TUESDAY**  
7:00 P.M.  
**GRAYLING BOOSTER CLUB**  
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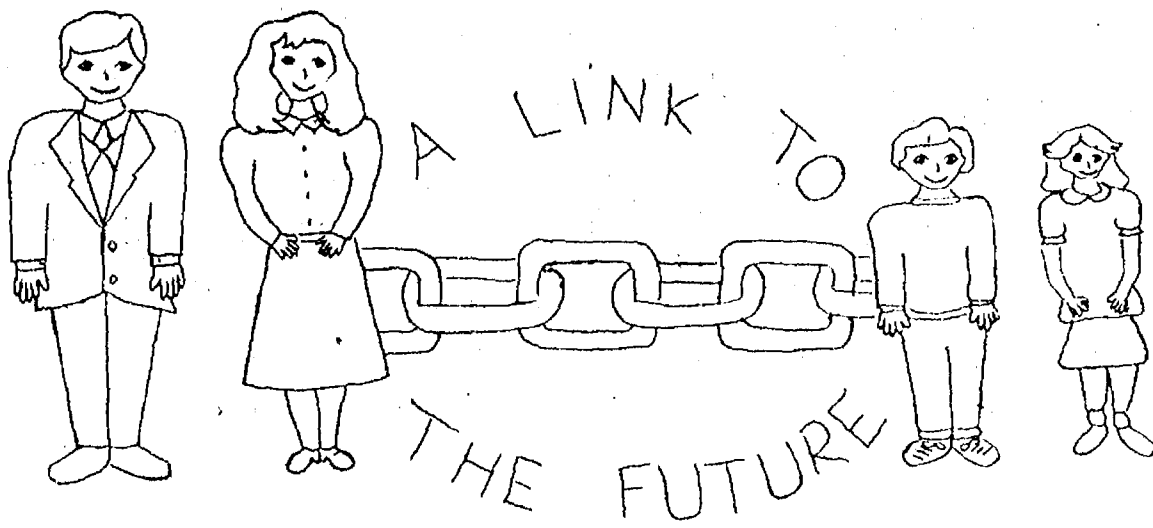
**WEDNESDAY**  
6:30 to 11 p.m.  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
6:30 P.M.  
**St. Francis of Assisi**  
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**THURSDAY**  
**AMERICAN LEGION HALL**  
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**FRIDAY**  
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**BINGO**



Look here! 'Something special is going to be happening every two weeks in the Crawford County Avalanche. High School counselors Vickie Green and Bill Klinger communicate with students in the high school but sometimes the information isn't carried home. To help improve the communication between school and home, the

counselors have come up with a column called "A Link to the Future." They hope this will help link the communication between school and home. Information based on careers, testing, scheduling, colleges, important dates, and other material will be printed every other week. Next week will be the first column dealing with "A Link to the Future."

### Grayling Jr. Pro Basketball

3rd and 4th Grade

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Pizza Hut Pacers	2-0
Rotary Club Bullets	2-0
Camp Grayling Gunners	2-0
Mac's Drugs Mauraders	2-0
Grayling State Bank Bucks	0-1
Laurines Wolverines	0-1
Perez CPA 76'ers	0-2
R & H Sports Pistons	0-2
Weyerhaeuser Jr. Vikes	0-2
Sorensens Funeral Home Bandits	0-2
Scoring	
Pacers 30 / Pistons 12 — Jets 23 / Bandits 18	
Mauraders 43 / Jr. Vikes 27 — Gunners 47 / 76'ers 23	
Bullets 34 / Wolverines 22 — Bucks - Bye	
5th and 6th Grade	
Al Bennett Ford Mustangs	2-0
Cornell Agency Hawks	2-0
McDonald's Celtics	2-0
Scheer Motors Lakers	2-1
Grayling Hospital for Animals Mavericks	1-1
Holiday Inn Norrnets	1-2
Chemical Bank North Cavaliers	0-2
Rochette's Raiders	0-2
Grayling Fuelgas Falcons	0-2
Scoring	
Lakers 28 / Hornets 22 — Mustangs 26 / Falcons 18	
Hornets 44 / Raiders 18 — Celtics 22 / Mavericks 30	
Hawks 24 / Cavaliers 17	

### Milltown Pool League

Men's	W-L
Spike's	94-68
Swamp	93-69
Red Barn	82-62
Legion	82-62
Frederic Inn	72-90
Sawmill	64-98
Hard Time's	55-89
Women's	
Sawmill	56
Arrowhead	43
Frederic Inn	41
Red Barn	39
Spike's	37

### Karate Class Guests On Television Show

Members of the adult Tang Soo Do karate club, located at Hanson Hills currently tested for gup rank. Students who advanced are Marie Kalthoff of Roscommon 6th gup green belt and Richard Oliver of Grayling 6th gup green belt. Steve CdeBaca of Grayling 1st gup red belt promotion currently training for black belt testing.

The Aikido Club will be having its kyu test tonight, December 14 at Hanson Hills, 7 p.m., public welcome to view testing procedure of Japanese Martial Art of the

Samurai. Members of the North Western College Aikido Club will also be present to test. For further information contact Sandi Hasson, 348-9337 or 348-2128.

Members of the childrens karate class were guests on Channel 7 & 4 Deputy Don Show, hosted by Don Melvoin in Traverse City, December 8. The show was aired on December 10, Sat. morning 8 a.m. and members demonstrated forms and board breaking techniques.

### Brownies Receive Scouting Welcome

The girls in Girl Scout Troop #2000 had their Investiture ceremony on Thursday, December 8th. The girls were welcomed into Girl Scouting for the first time as first grade Brownies. One girl, Amy Stevenson, was rededicated as a Scout, since she was a Daisy last year. The girls received their troop numbers, council strips, identification strips, Brownie pins, and their Play Try-It, which were all

donated with money from their troop sponsor, Georgia-Pacific Beaver Creek Resin Plant.

The Brownies also received rewards for the Girl Scout cookies they sold. Monica Kustra was the top seller for the troop, and Amanda Moggo won a bike pack from the Council drawing. All of the girls helped sell cookies to raise money for troop activities.

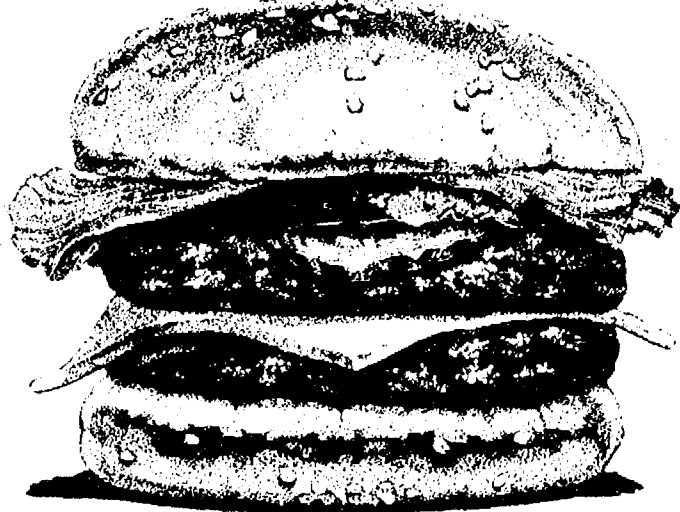


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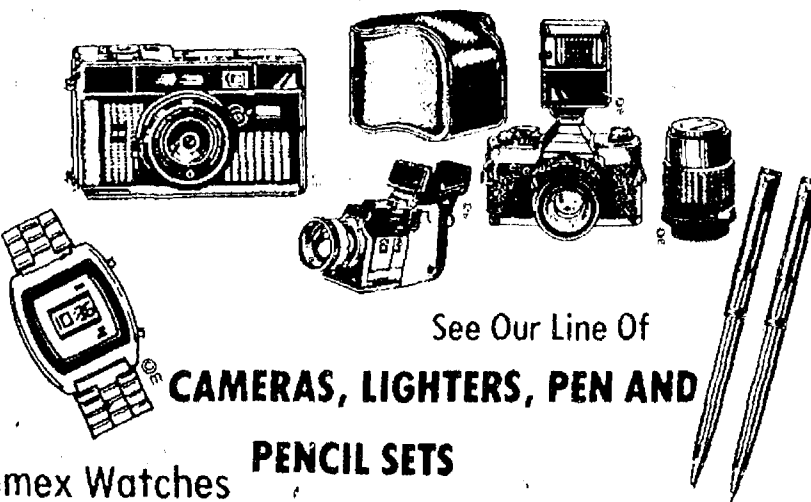
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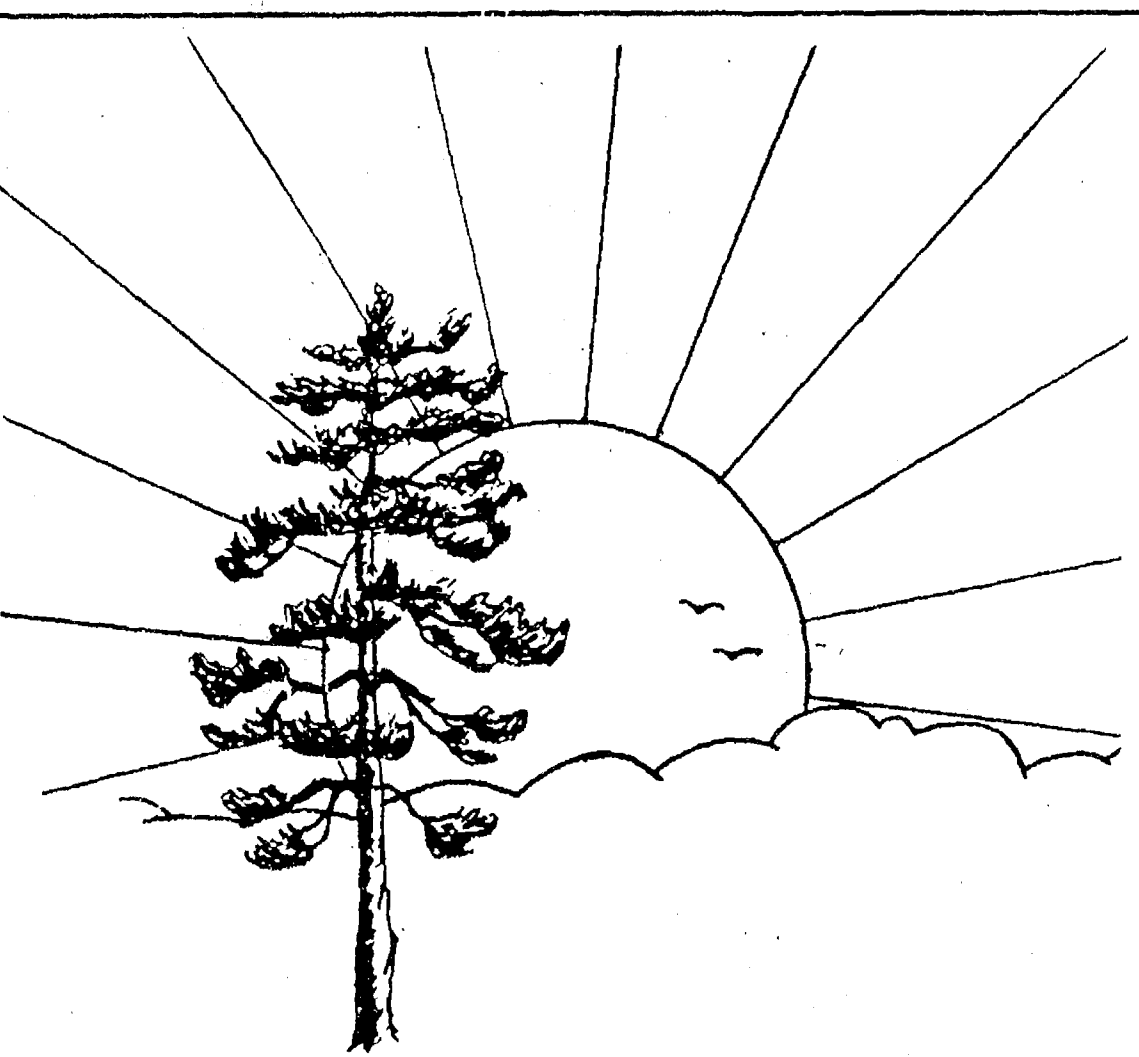
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7 Little Wynn Tom Sawyer	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs	Today Show		Business Body Elect	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning America	Archie Gumby Bozo Show	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8 Spaceballs	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBible	Father Knows Best				Business SportsCenter	Hillbillies Bevitched
9 Morgans From Outer Space	Donahue	Fandango Be A Star		Sesame Street	Our House	Newlywed Sweethearts	Jim Smurfs	Group 1 Med. Wipe Out	Top Rank Boxing	Little House
10 Going Ape	I Love Lucy Morn Break	Sale/Century Concentrat'n		Crook/Chase VideoCountry	700 Club	Ly/Connect Hollywood	Dukes Of Hazzard	Family Feud Card Sharks	MotorWeek Getting Fit	Movie: "Having Babies"
11 Splash	700 Club	Win/Lose New Country		Mr. Rogers Experience	Straight Talk	Ryan's Hope Loving	Gerardo	Body/Motion Bodyshaping	Perry Mason	
12 The River Rat	Hillbillies A Griffith	News Scrabble		Novelty Campbells	Chels Campbells	Children	News	Restless Body/Beauty	Movie: "Pleasure Cove"	
1 The River Rat	Chips	Days Of Our Lives		Be A Star Crook/Chase	Here Comes The Bride	One Life To Live	Honeymoon Soap	As The World Turns	Tom & Jerry Flintstones	
2 Jane And The Lost	Gilligan's Little Pony	Another World		VideoCountry Amer. Mag	General Hospital	General Hospital	Beaver Ghostbusters	Guiding Light	MotorWeek PGA Tour	
3 The Lost	Chipmunks Hills Teens	Hour Magazine		Nashville Now	Hazel Father/Best	Oprah Winfrey	GI Joe COPS	Mighty Mouse Webster	3's Company News	Movie: "The Untouchables"
4 Les Miserables	DuckTales Double Dare	Hour Magazine		People's Choice USA Today	Ent Tonight ABC News	Ent Tonight ABC News	Yogi Bear Fun House	3's Company News	SportsCenter Dr. Phil	Movie: "The Untouchables"
5 Concorde Airport 79	Di/Strokes Webster	People's Choice USA Today		News NBC News	Fandango Be A Star	Ent Tonight ABC News	Yogi Bear Fun House	3's Company News	SportsCenter Dr. Phil	Movie: "The Untouchables"
6 Inside The NFL	Di/Strokes Webster	People's Choice USA Today		News NBC News	Fandango Be A Star	Ent Tonight ABC News	Yogi Bear Fun House	3's Company News	SportsCenter Dr. Phil	Movie: "The Untouchables"
7 Crazy Moon	Family Ties Beaver	Win/Lose New Country		Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country
8 National Landscape	Family Ties Beaver	Win/Lose New Country		Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country
9 Inside The NFL	Family Ties Beaver	Win/Lose New Country		Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country
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## SATURDAY

December 17, 1988

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7 Movie Cont Dante Wynn	This Week Hill Top	Kerry Report Deputy Don		Various	Various	Ninja Turtle	Larry Jones World Tmwr	Raggy Ann Mighty Mouse	SportsCenter HourPower	Gunslinger
8 Overboard	Marvel Action	Kerry Report Deputy Don		Sesame Street	Dry Gulch Superbook	Win/Lose New Country	Archie Gumby	Bozo Show	Business SportsCenter	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
9 Inside The NFL	Barbie And The Rockers	Chipmunks Hills Teens		Renovating Kitchen	Yan Can Cook	Rin Tin Tin Crosby	General Hospital	General Hospital	General Hospital	General Hospital
10 A Dangerous Life	Dino Riders Monsters	Ed Grimley P-Brewster		Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side
11 The Worlds	Ed Grimley P-Brewster	Wish/Hole Side/Side		Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side	Wish/Hole Side/Side
12 Little Miss Perfect	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba		Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba
1 Trail Of The Pink	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba		Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba
2 Panther	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba		Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba
3 Don't Die Made In	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba		Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba
4 Heaven	Star Search	Star Search		Star Search	Star Search	Star Search	Star Search	Star Search	Star Search	Star Search
5 Superman IV	Star Trek	Star Trek		Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek
6 What's Happ Bosom Buddies	Star Trek	Star Trek		Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek
7 Beyond Tomorrow	Star Trek	Star Trek		Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek
8 Young Comedians	Star Trek	Star Trek		Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek	Star Trek
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7 Little Wynn Tom Sawyer	Funhouse G.I. Joe	Today Show		Business Body Elect	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning America	Archie Gumby Bozo Show	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8 Splash	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBible	Father Knows Best				Business SportsCenter	Hillbillies Bevitched
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## WEDNESDAY

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8 The Christmas Story	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBible	Father Knows Best				Business SportsCenter	Hillbillies Bevitched
9 The Christmas Story	Donahue	Fandango Be A Star		Sesame Street	Our House	Newlywed Sweethearts	Jim Smurfs	Group 1 Med. Wipe Out	Top Rank Boxing	Little House
10 The Christmas Story	I Love Lucy Morn Break	Sale/Century Concentrat'n		Crook/Chase VideoCountry	700 Club	Ly/Connect Hollywood	Dukes Of Hazzard	Family Feud Card Sharks	MotorWeek Getting Fit	Movie: "Having Babies"
11 The Christmas Story	700 Club	Win/Lose New Country		Mr. Rogers Experience	Straight Talk	Ryan's Hope Loving	Gerardo	Body/Motion Bodyshaping	Perry Mason	
12 The Christmas Story	Hillbillies A Griffith	News Scrabble		Novelty Campbells	Chels Campbells	Children	News	Restless Body/Beauty	Movie: "Pleasure Cove"	
1 The Christmas Story	Chips	Days Of Our Lives		Be A Star Crook/Chase	Here Comes The Bride	One Life To Live	Honeymoon Soap	As The World Turns	Tom & Jerry Flintstones	
2 The Christmas Story	Gilligan's Little Pony	Another World		VideoCountry Amer. Mag	General Hospital	General Hospital	Beaver Ghostbusters	Guiding Light	MotorWeek PGA Tour	
3 The Christmas Story	Chipmunks Hills Teens	Hour Magazine		Nashville Now	Hazel Father/Best	Oprah Winfrey	GI Joe COPS	Mighty Mouse Webster	3's Company News	Movie: "The Untouchables"
4 The Christmas Story	DuckTales Double Dare	Hour Magazine		People's Choice USA Today	Ent Tonight ABC News	Ent Tonight ABC News	Yogi Bear Fun House	3's Company News	SportsCenter Dr. Phil	Movie: "The Untouchables"
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6 The Christmas Story	Family Ties Beaver	Win/Lose New Country		Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country
7 The Christmas Story	Family Ties Beaver	Win/Lose New Country		Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country	Win/Lose New Country
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## FRIDAY

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7 Little Wynn Tom Sawyer	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs	Today Show		Business Body Elect	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning America	Archie Gumby Bozo Show	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8 Spaceballs	Yogi Bear G.I. Joe Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBible	Father Knows Best				Business SportsCenter	Hillbillies Bevitched
9 Morgans From Outer Space	Donahue	Fandango Be A Star		Sesame Street	Our House	Newlywed Sweethearts	Jim Smurfs	Group 1 Med. Wipe Out	Top Rank Boxing	Little House
10 Going Ape	I Love Lucy Morn Break	Sale/Century Concentrat'n		Crook/Chase VideoCountry	700 Club	Ly/Connect Hollywood	Dukes Of Hazzard	Family Feud Card Sharks	MotorWeek Getting Fit	Movie: "Having Babies"
11 Splash	700 Club	Win/Lose New Country		Mr. Rogers Experience	Straight Talk	Ryan's Hope Loving	Gerardo	Body/Motion Bodyshaping	Perry Mason	
12 The River Rat	Hillbillies A Griffith	News Scrabble		Novelty Campbells	Chels Campbells	Children	News	Restless Body/Beauty	Movie: "Pleasure Cove"	
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2 Jane And The Lost	Gilligan's Little Pony	Another World		VideoCountry Amer. Mag	General Hospital	General Hospital	Beaver Ghostbusters	Guiding Light	MotorWeek PGA Tour	
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December 18, 1988

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7	Xmas Express Little Winn	Hour Of Power	News Don Molvin		Kenneth Copeland	Perspectives	Dr. Kennedy Hour/Power	Chicago Heritage	Larry Jones Discovery	SportCenter Bodybuilding	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	Tom Sawyer Today	Church Of Jesus	Jerry Fallwell	Mr. Rogers Square One	D. James Kennedy	Jimmy Swaggart	Chicago Heritage	Larry Jones Discovery	Rip/Racing	Flintstones Tom & Jerry	
9	Misereables The	Showcase World Of	Robert Schuler	Winston Cup Special	Our Sunday Best	Kenneth Copeland	Mass Spiral Zone	CBS Sunday Morning	NBA Today Light/Slide	Flintstones A. Griffith	
10	Christmas Wife	Hanna Barbera	Sunday Today	Performance CE News Mag	Mr. Rogers CE News Mag	L. Ogilvie Hunt	Message Hunt	Braves/air Bulls/Runny	Sportsraits Movie	Good News Movie	
11	Apprentice To Master	Wrestling A	Wrestling A	Winston Cup Motoworld	Wonderworks	Gerbert Rin Tin Tin	Brinkley Bruin Test	World/Tm/w	Reporters NFL	"Midway" PT 1 & 2	
12	Pan Pals	Star Trek	Meet/Press Sportscast	Msquite McLaughlin	Oil/Record McLaughlin	Ritman McLaughlin	Morie Test	"Antonio" The NFL	Gameday America		
1	Cry Freedom	Movie: Tba	Football: Teams Tba	Wish/Hera Special	Wash. Week Wall Street	Strip	"Twist"	Threat AI/Movies	Football: Detroit	Adventure	
2				Outdoors Motoworld	Firing Line Motoworld	Wagon Train	Mazda Champions	Vs The Class	World Timber Championship	Movie:	
3		Movie: Tba		American Sports	Great Performances	Ruleman	Golf	Maneige: The Class	U.S.T. Triathlon	"Duel In The Sun"	
4	The	Football: Teams Tba		Cavalcade Winston Cup	Gunsmoke	Jacques Cousteau	Movie: The Black	Oil/Strokes	Skate America		
5	Nutcracker	Lifestyles Rich/famous		Performance Secrets	Power/Choice Degrassi	The Big Valley	Born Famous Rosewood	Dukes Of Hazzard	Pro Skiing Shi Snow	3/ Stoozes Beaver	
6	It Happened One	Star Trek		Midworld Heroes	Cards For Christmas	Bonanza	Hee Haw	World Christmas	World Cup Skiing	Wrestling	
7	Christmas	21 Jump Street	World Of Disney	American Sports	The First Eden	Our House	Moscow St. Circus	Parade 60 Minutes	NFL Pratime	Movie: "A Christmas Carol"	
8	Darnd Solid Partner	Most Wanted Murder	Family Ties Day Of Bay	Cavalcade Winston Cup	Nature	Rin Tin Tin Snaps	Mission Impossible	Threat AI/Movies	Murder: She Wrote	Football: LA Rams	
9	1st And Ten	G Shandling T. Ullman	"Marked"	Midworld Heroes	Creatures/ Great/Small	In Touch	Movie: "A Smokey"	Star Search	Movie: "A Very	At San Francisco	National Geographic
10	The Christmas Club	Duck From Scratch	"For Murder"	Special Theatre	Masterpiece Theatre	Changed Live Theatre	Mountain Christmas	News	Brady Christmas	49ers	Explorer
11	Wife	Mash Kenneth	News Sports Mach	Msquite Rodeo	Upstairs, Downstairs	Various Ed Young	Lifestyles Rich/Famous	Monsters Magnium	World Vision	Sports- Center	Ali/Ally Fame
12	Witches Of Black Cat	Copeland Hanna Barbera	USA Today	Secrets Squid	Larry Jones Discovery	Entertain This	Movie: CBS News	Movie: CBS News	PrimeTime Live	Fallw WMTV/Tm/w	



## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### The Gospel of John

Part 59

The Miracle of Lazarus  
The raising of Lazarus after being dead and buried four days, was the greatest attested miracle performed by Jesus Christ during his ministry. It was the seventh miracle recorded in John's gospel proving Jesus Christ is God.

Before performing the miracle, Jesus dealt with the human problems which would rob people of experiencing the glory of the miracle. They had to take the stone away from the tomb entrance. (John 11:39, 41a). They had to overcome the smell and sight of a rotted corpse. (John 11:39). They needed to get their eyes off Lazarus and get their eyes on Jesus. This miracle was not to give Lazarus life, but to bring glory to God. (John 11:40).

Jesus prayed a prayer to the Father of gratitude and confidence to strengthen the faith of the people before the miracle. (John 11:41, 42). As the primary reason for the miracle was the glory of God, the secondary reason was to increase the faith of the people. The raising of Lazarus from the dead was only temporary, and he would still die again and face the future resurrection like everyone else.

The performing of the miracle was a simple yet profound expression of divine power. "And when he thus had spoken, he cried with a loud voice, Lazarus, come forth." (John 11:43) It has been said that Jesus specified the name of Lazarus, or all the graves would have emptied. The use

of a loud voice was again for the benefit of the people; Jesus Christ could have whispered and accomplished the same miracle.

The results of the miracle were obvious. "And he that was dead came forth, bound hand and foot with graveclothes; and his face was bound about with a napkin. Jesus saith unto them, Loose him, and let him go." (John 11:44). This certainly pictures every sinner dead in trespasses and sins who is born-again or quickened by the power of the Holy Spirit. Lazarus was alive, but still covered in the filthy, smelly grave clothes of death. He had to be cleaned up before he looked and smelled alive. Many Christians need to have the grave clothes of the world removed before people can see the miracle of Jesus in their lives.

Others were saved spiritually by the physical miracle of Lazarus. "Then many of the Jews which came to Mary, and had seen the things which Jesus did, believed on him." (John 11) Have you received new life in Christ by faith in His death, burial and resurrection for you? "Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." (John 3:3).

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Sunday  
Isaiah  
6:1-13  
Monday  
Isaiah  
11:1-9  
Tuesday  
Isaiah  
40:1-11  
Wednesday  
Isaiah  
40:12-31  
Thursday  
Isaiah  
52:1-15  
Friday  
Isaiah  
53:1-12  
Saturday  
John  
1:1-18



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February 9, 1989	August 10, 1989
March 9, 1989	September 14, 1989
April 13, 1989	October 12, 1989
May 11, 1989	November 9, 1989
June 8, 1989	December 14, 1989

The meetings are held at the Grayling State Bank, Grayling, Michigan in their conference room located in the basement and begin at 9:00 a.m. If any changes are made, the change will be published in ample time. Citizens wishing to address the Housing Commission board may contact the Housing Commission office at the County Building, 348-2841, ext. 253 to be placed on the agenda.

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**FOR SALE** — Mobile Home, 2 bedroom and hobby room and addition, 2 car garage. \$23,000. Call 348-8267. -8-15-22-/1

**HOUSE FOR SALE** on the East Branch River, by owner, 348-9046. -8-15-22-/1

**FOR SALE BY OWNER** — 6 month old, 3 bedroom ranch, 2 full baths, 2 1/2 car attached garage with concrete drive on large wooded lot, close to schools and town, 1190 Glenn Rd., Grayling, 348-5272. -15-22-/1

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**FOR RENT** — two bedroom apt. near Lake Margrethe, \$280, a month plus utilities, sec. dep. \$280, No Pets, 348-2554. -1-8-15-/2

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**FOR RENT** — Large 2 Bedroom mobile home, \$275, month, plus sec., 348-7120. -8-15-/2

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**THREE BEDROOM**, modular with garage, available January 10, 1989. \$350, per month, first and last months deposit. Please call 348-8911 before 9 p.m. -15-22-29-/2

**LARGE 1 BEDROOM** Apartment in town, \$325 per month. We pay lights, water and sewer. Deposit required, 348-4006. -15-22-/2

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## Quilt Guild Tours Member's Farm Home

The AuSable Quilt Guild held their December 7 meeting at the home of one of their members, Louise Torrey, on their farm between Moorestown and Lake City. The guild were shown around the farm which the Torreys have built. This included, besides the house, farm buildings and a replica of a schoolhouse which once stood on their property.

The original school was in such a dilapidated state that they decided to duplicate it exactly as it had been. The Torreys cut the cedars and had them milled for the school. The school is complete with desks, benches, and potbelly stoves.

The women enjoyed a "show and tell" time with their handiwork and a delicious potluck lunch. They had their Christmas exchange and a white elephant exchange game.

## Road Commission Minutes

November 11, 1988  
A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Commissioners Grover Cason and Norman Parker, Engineer-Manager John Keir and Accounting-Clerk Joanne Thompson. Absent: Chairman Kraus.

The minutes of the previous meeting of October 28, 1988 were read. Commissioner Cason made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Commissioner Parker. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 23 in the amount of \$24,091.26 and Material checks numbered 14296 through 14352 in the amount of \$43,261.90 were presented to the Board for approval of payment. Commissioner Parker made a motion to accept the vouchers, seconded by Commissioner Cason.

Review of the grader blade bids taken October 28, 1988 led to the awarding of the bid to Paper Calmenson.

The following permits were reviewed and signed: U.S. Seismic to conduct a seismic survey in South Branch Township.

An Oil & Gas Lease received was tabled until the full Board is present.

Information was given the Board on the status of FAS, Rural Primary, All Season Road and Forest Road funding.

Doug Basel, R.S. Scott & Associates, reviewed preliminary plans for new garage and office facilities with the Board.

It was decided to change the date of the next regularly scheduled meeting from November 25th to November 23rd due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Discussion was held on the condition and maintenance of local roads during the unusually wet conditions lately.

Various correspondence was received and reviewed.

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson  
Accounting Clerk

Gloria Kraus  
Chairman

## IN MEMORY

In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Laverne Bernadine Gugin who passed away 5 years ago December 15th.

"The years may wipe out many things,

But this they wipe out never;

The memory of those happy days,

When we were all together."

## IN MEMORY

In loving memory of my husband, Lowell E. Overly, who passed away one year ago Dec. 19, 1987.

The happy home we shared so long,

Till you were called away,

Is home no more since you're not here,

But just a place to stay.

Sadly missed by your wife, Yvonne

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## Notice of a Public Meeting to Institute a Summer Property Tax Levy for Kirtland Community College

Administrative offices: 10775 N. St. Helen  
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Telephone No.: (517) 275-5121

Please take notice that on December 21, 1988, at 7 o'clock, p.m., at Kirtland Community College, the Board of Trustees will hold a meeting at which will be offered for adoption a resolution to impose a summer property tax levy of all of its annual community college tax levy upon property located within the district.

Passage of the proposed resolution would result in the annual levy of community college property taxes on July 1 against property located within the college district. The Board of Trustees, under Act 331, Public Acts of Michigan 1966, may impose a summer property tax levy of either one-half (1/2) or the total of annual college property taxes. If a summer property tax levy is imposed, the college district may enter into agreements with each city and with each township, for collection of the summer property taxes, which collect a school district summer tax in the same manner and at the same time as school district or intermediate school district taxes are being collected.

This notice is given by order of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees.

Suzanne McClellan  
Secretary, Board of Trustees





## Doodles from the Tall Timber

By Wendell L. Hoover  
Hartwick Pines Interpreter

I don't spend as much time outdoors as I would like, but there is a great amount of enjoyment derived from any outdoor activity. Our environment is a precious thing and while there has been a better appreciation develop for it since the 1960's, I'm still disappointed

at the lack of an outdoor ethic displayed by some people.

Like many of you, I spent some of the last few days in hunter orange and what I saw here and there was pain for the land. Litter which originated from several outdoor activities that could and should have been carried out instead of left in the woods or along a trail. It has always mystified me as to why an empty container can't be carried out. Do they suddenly gain that much weight?

Let's blame just hunters, let me mention that there were empty snowmobile oil cans and broken drive belts along the snowmobile trail and empty beverage containers along the cross country ski trails and a profusion of orange ribbons tied to trees by those enjoying our hunting areas.

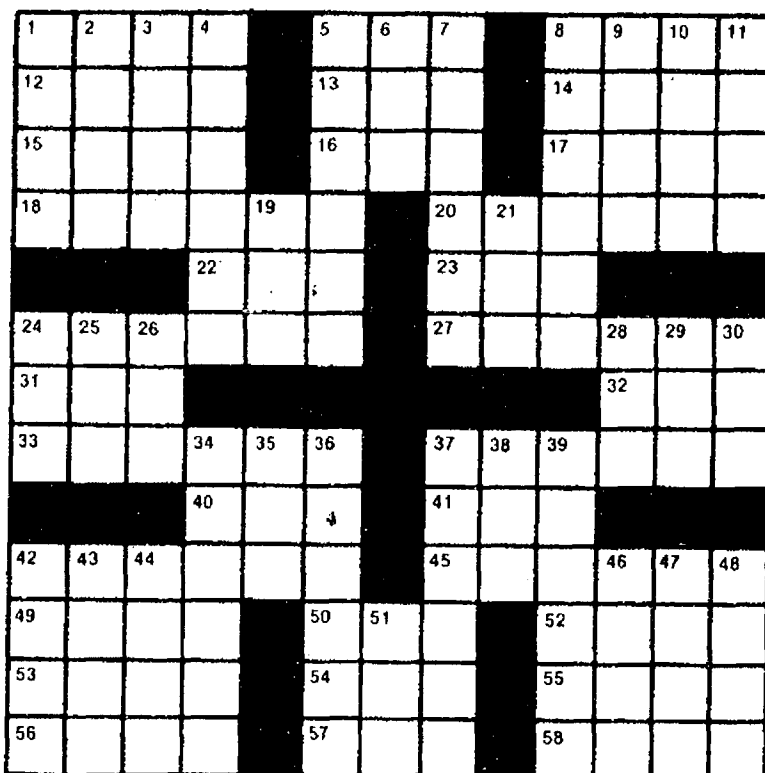
My grandfather and father impressed upon me a long time ago that what you carry in-you carry out. Leave where you recreate cleaner than when you found it. It is still good advice.

## WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

ACROSS  
1 Alaska city  
5 Cape  
8 Wading bird  
12 Baking chamber  
13 Robert E.  
14 Lump  
15 Thunderfish  
16 Skiff  
17 Joseph's nephew  
18 Metes  
20 Calls forth  
22 Has been  
23 tin-tin  
24 Remy  
27 Malodorous  
31 Color  
32 Look at  
33 Overreach  
37 Marks  
40 Charged particle  
41 Face part  
42 Card suit  
45 Realm  
49 Firm  
50 Gr. letter  
52 Timothy's grandmother

DOWN  
1 Ibsen character  
2 Racetrack  
3 Repeat  
4 Invests  
5 Elegant  
6 Over, poetic  
7 Prevents  
8 Sing monotonously  
9 Tome  
10 Resting  
11 Oceans  
19 Knot lace  
21 Vigor  
24 To and  
25 Race a motor  
26 Poem  
28 Guided  
29 Caustic  
30 Affirmative  
34 Enigma  
35 Female deer  
36 Beginnings  
37 Glows  
38 Brink  
39 Edible fruit, pl.  
42 Store  
43 Peel  
44 Russ. inland sea  
46 Gr. letter  
47 Tumult  
48 Serf  
51 Uncle, Sp.



## Recipes

By Phyllis Brummer

Many people enjoy eating yogurt plain or with fruit but do not realize what a versatile tool it is for use in food preparation and in cooking. Yogurt can replace mayonnaise in coleslaw and potato salad. In a Waldorf salad, mix a small amount of honey with the yogurt. Use it for topping baked potatoes or chili and for dips. Used as a substitute for sour cream, yogurt can save you over 300 calories per cup. To keep yogurt from separating in foods that are to be cooked or stirred vigorously, first mix 1 tablespoon of cornstarch with 1 tablespoon of yogurt, then stir the mixture into the rest of the yogurt. Buying low-fat yogurt is another calorie saver. Make Ambrosia by combining 1 can each pineapple chunks and mandarin oranges, both drained well, with 1/2 c. flaked coconut and 1 cup plain yogurt. Make a quick tartar sauce by combining 1/2 cup drained sweet pickle relish with 1 cup yogurt. Another quick sauce for fish or seafood is 1/2 c. yogurt combined with 1/2 cup seafood cocktail sauce. This recipe could be served as a lunch entree or as an appetizer with crackers.

### Crab Mousse

2 envelopes unflavored gelatin  
3/4 c. water  
1/4 c. dry white wine  
2 c. lemon-flavored yogurt  
3 tbsp. salad dressing (not mayonnaise)  
1 tsp. grated onion  
1 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. white pepper  
2 6-ounce pkgs. frozen crabmeat, thawed, drained and flaked  
1 c. minced celery  
2 tbsp. minced parsley  
Mix gelatin and water over low heat to dissolve gelatin. Add wine, yogurt, salad dressing, onion, salt and pepper and mix

well with electric mixer. Refrigerate until partially set. Fold in crabmeat, celery and parsley. Spoon into generously oiled mold and refrigerate until firm.

### Herb Salad Dressing

1 c. plain yogurt  
1/4 c. vegetable oil  
2 tbsp. white vinegar  
1/2 tsp. each oregano and dill weed  
1 tsp. garlic salt

Stir yogurt until creamy. Drizzle oil into yogurt, stirring constantly. Add remaining ingredients and a dash of pepper. Refrigerate 2 hours for flavors to blend. Makes about 1 1/2 cups.

Donna O'Grady asked for a rum sauce recipe for use over bread pudding. Here is one that will even look festive.

### Pink Rum Sauce

1 c. evaporated milk (not sweetened)  
1 c. skim milk  
3/4 c. sugar  
1 1/2 tsp. cornstarch  
2 tbsp. butter  
1 1/2 ounces light rum  
3 or 4 drops red food coloring

Place milk, sugar and cornstarch in top of double boiler and stir until thick and smooth. Remove from heat and stir in butter, rum and coloring.

This one would be good over warm apple pie:

### Rum Sauce

1/3 c. dark rum  
1 c. apple juice  
2 tbsp. cornstarch  
1/4 c. sugar  
1/4 tsp. cinnamon  
1/2 c. cream

Combine all ingredients except cream in 2-cup measure and microwave on high 2 minutes or until thickened. Cool slightly and stir in cream.

## Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick  
Conservation Officer



I have previously mentioned the new requirement for registering non-powered canoes. At that time, I said kayaks were not included in the requirement for registration fee and number. I have since found out that under State and Federal laws, kayaks are considered canoes and will require registration beginning January 1, 1989. Other non-powered vessels less than 12 feet in length will not have to be registered. Perhaps this

may change too, however. Now, to change subjects from Marine Safety to Hunter Safety. The safety zone law (MCL 312.10b) states that a person shall not discharge a firearm within 150 yards of an occupied dwelling, or associated out building, without the permission of the landowner or leases.

Questions have arisen as to a person hunting on their own property, but within the safety zone of an adjacent landowner. Guidance we re-

ceived was that the hunter was still exempted, if he was on his own property. An Attorney General's opinion now applies to this situation. A hunter cannot discharge a firearm within the safety zone of another, without that person's permission, even though the hunter is on his own property.

The safety zone law was passed to protect lives and property, and to continue to allow the previous interpretation would nullify such measures.

### American Viewpoints



Cities force growth, and make men talkative and entertaining, but they make them artificial.  
Emerson

## Features

## Verse or Worse

By Joseph D. Murphy

### Report From The North Pole

Santa Claus is very busy these days  
Getting ready for his Christmas flight  
There is so many things he has to do  
To make sure everything is just right.

The reindeer are in training  
To get rid of their summer fat  
Their flying is still a little clumsy  
Today Donner knocked off my hat.

But they'll be ready by Christmas Eve  
To take Santa and his load of toys  
Everywhere there is goodwill on earth  
And a good little girl or boy.

Rudolph is doing a lot of practice  
To get his nose shining real bright  
I just know that he is hoping  
That it will be a real foggy night.

Mrs. Claus is very busy  
Making Santa a brand new suit  
His old one was getting worn out  
And badly stained with ashes and soot.

The Elves are working overtime  
Making lots of dolls and toys  
So Santa will have plenty  
For the little girls and boys.

Everyone is very busy  
Getting ready for Christmas Eve  
But everything will be shipshape  
By the time Santa has to leave.

So be extra good and helpful  
As Christmas Eve draws neigh  
Maybe if you lay there still and quiet  
You'll hear sleigh bells in the sky.

I'm going to hang up my Christmas stocking  
Make sure there's room under the Christmas tree  
I'll try real hard to be extra good  
Maybe Santa will bring something for me.

## Poet's Corner

### Santa Claus

Who am I, I'm Santa Claus  
I wish you all the best,  
It matters not my name,  
"Can you pass the acid test?"

Give I say,  
To the one that draws short straws,  
For not knowing the future,  
He may be your Santa Claus;

So now is the time to give my friend,  
It's written in the laws,  
Your time is now for you to give,  
You can be that Santa Claus.

George Watson

(Avalanche readers are invited to submit poems for this corner. Please send only one double-spaced typed poem at a time with your name and address. The Poet's Corner does not reflect the view or policies of the Avalanche. The opinions expressed are those of the author.)

Mrs. Santa Claus  
Reindeer Lane  
North Pole

Dear Boys and Girls:  
Poor Santa!!

Every day he checks the mailbox hoping to find letters from you. Won't you please write to him? I promise he'll write back, too!  
Just go into any Old Kent Bank office before December 20 and pick up a special "Dear Santa" letter form. Then bring your letter back to Old Kent and put it in their North Pole mailbox.

Santa is pretty busy this time of year, but I'll make sure he answers every single letter. (Or I won't bake him any of his favorite cookies!)  
Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Mrs. S. Claus

Mrs. S. Claus

Kids: Hurry in to get your special "Dear Santa" letter form by December 20!



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## Sleek Images Offers 'Passive' Physical Fitness

Physical fitness without sweat? Without pain? Without a puffy red face? Sound incredible? Not so at the Sleek Images Figure Salon in the Grayling Mini Mall. This exercise facility offers its clients the opportunity to improve their physical stamina, improve flexibility, and take off inches, all without the struggle usually associated with the phrase "physical fitness".

Sleek Images' exercise is passive exercise. In short, this means that the machine does the work, and the client needs only to show up to reap the benefits. The salon has six exercise machines that focus on different sections of the body. These machines include:

The Upper Body Shaper helps to lift the rib cage to improve posture and reduces the upper arms.

The Waist, Tummy and Hip Shaper raises and

lowers the legs, simulating the walking motion, but without the legs having to support the body's weight. This machine's speed can be adjusted, slow for the beginner, and faster to simulate a brisk pace. Eight minutes on this machine is equal to about two miles.

The Waist Shaper is also speed controlled, and can be adjusted to comfort. The results of this exercise table are usually the first to be noticed by Sleek Images' patrons.

The Thigh and Calf Shaper moves the legs in a circular motion which works the hip, upper leg, and calf areas.

The Circulator is a vibrating table that improves the body's circulation system. It is a relaxing experience, and helps to rid the body of water.

The salon also has an exercise bike for their clients who hold fast to the exercise

theory 'no pain - no gain', although clients are limited to who and how long the bike can be used.

A typical exercise program includes eight minutes on each machine, and can be done as often as the client desires. Terry and Linda Wright, owners of Sleek Images recommends workouts three times a week.

The Sleek Images Figure Salon also has the Image 1000 Tanning booth and carries many tanning supplies.

Terry and Linda Wright purchased Sleek Images from Carolyn Hall, who opened the business last June.

The Wrights moved to Grayling several years ago from Arizona when Terry became the Director for the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. Grayling is Terry's hometown. The Wrights have five children, two still living at home, Kami, 15, and Joel, 9. Terry is employed in the shipping department at Weyerhaeuser, and during his off-hours helps Linda operate Sleek Images.

Sleek Images is open Monday through Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on

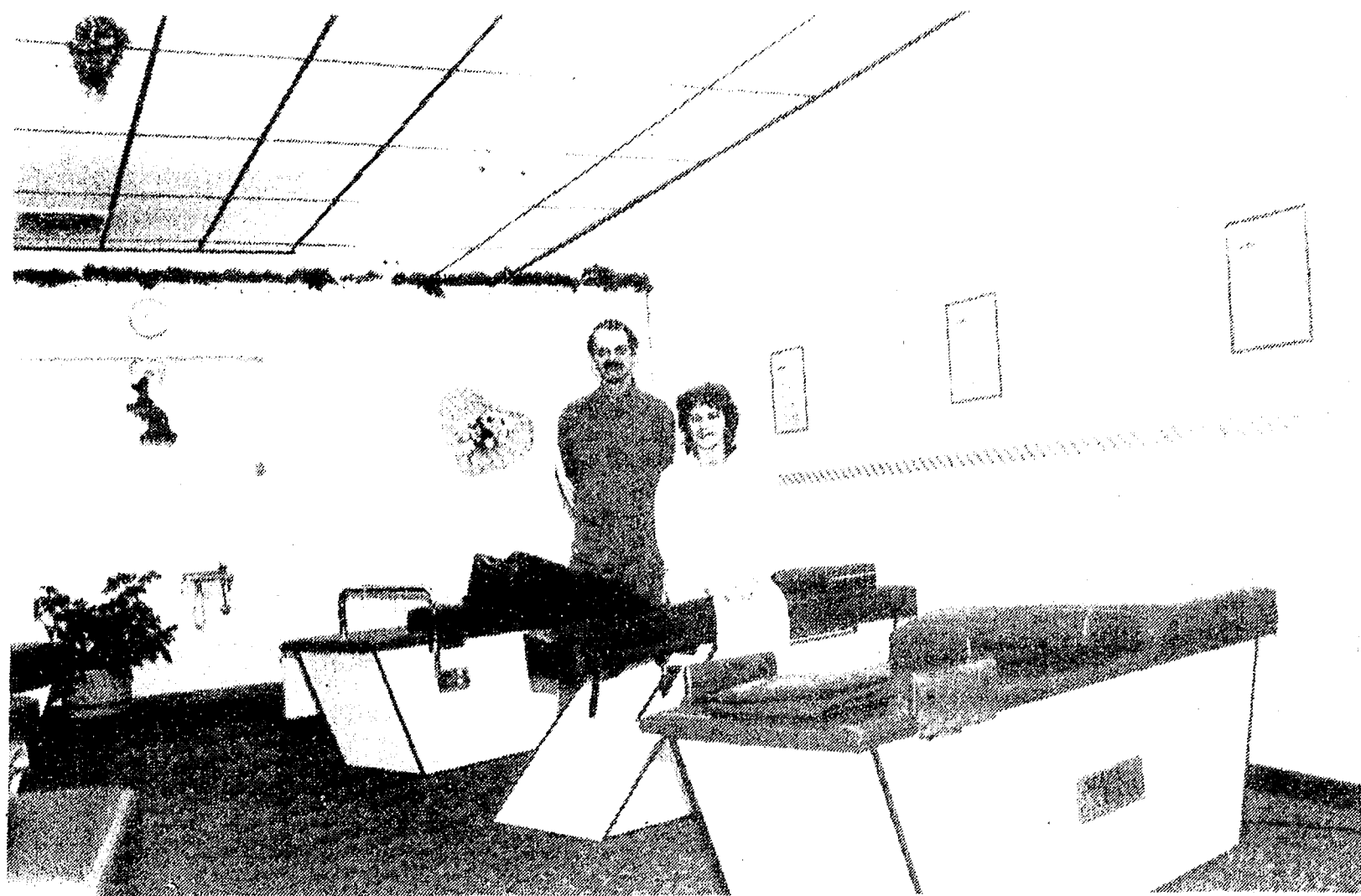
Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; however, these hours are flexible and can be extended by appointment to accommodate their clients' needs. Summer hours will be extended as the need presents itself.

To encourage their clients to workout regularly and eat properly Sleek Images holds monthly contests with free sessions for the person who loses the most inches and for the person who loses the most weight.

In the future Terry and Linda will be adding an inventory of exercise clothing.

"We think Sleek Images and passive exercise provides an opportunity for fitness regardless of age or weight," said Terry. "It is a kind of exercise that almost everyone can participate in and derive some type of benefit."

Do you still have doubts? Take a few minutes during your holiday shopping and stop by the Sleek Images Figure Salon. Ask Linda or Terry about their client who has lost 46 inches since she began working-out last June. They would be happy to talk to you about your fitness needs, and the first appointment is always free.



THE WRIGHT WAY — Terry and Linda Wright believe that passive exercise can be beneficial whether you are toning or reducing.

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### Jones Honored At WMU Chapter

Beth Adair Jones, resident of Grayling, was awarded a scholarship as the outstanding senior inductee of the Western Michigan University chapter of the Golden Key National Honor Society at their recent reception for new members.

Golden Key was founded in 1977 to recognize academically superior juniors and seniors across all fields of study.

Jones, a special education major, carries a cumulative

grade point average of 3.99. A member of the Student Council for Exceptional Children and the Michigan Association for Teachers of Emotionally Disturbed Children, Beth is a tutor for Special Services. She also played intramural basketball and worked as a teacher's aid.

Beth was a runner-up for the Presidential Scholar's Award and was awarded the Lofton-Burge Scholarship and the State of Michigan Competitive Scholarship, as well as a Knights of Columbus Scholarship.

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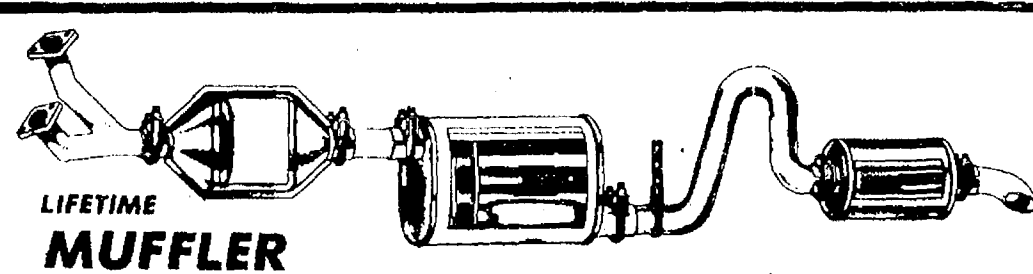
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- Check the figures on credit card slips before you sign them. Destroy carbons. Be sure you get your card back.
- Don't flash cash.
- Women, close your handbag securely and hold it close to your body; in crowds, it's smart to hold the opening against your body.
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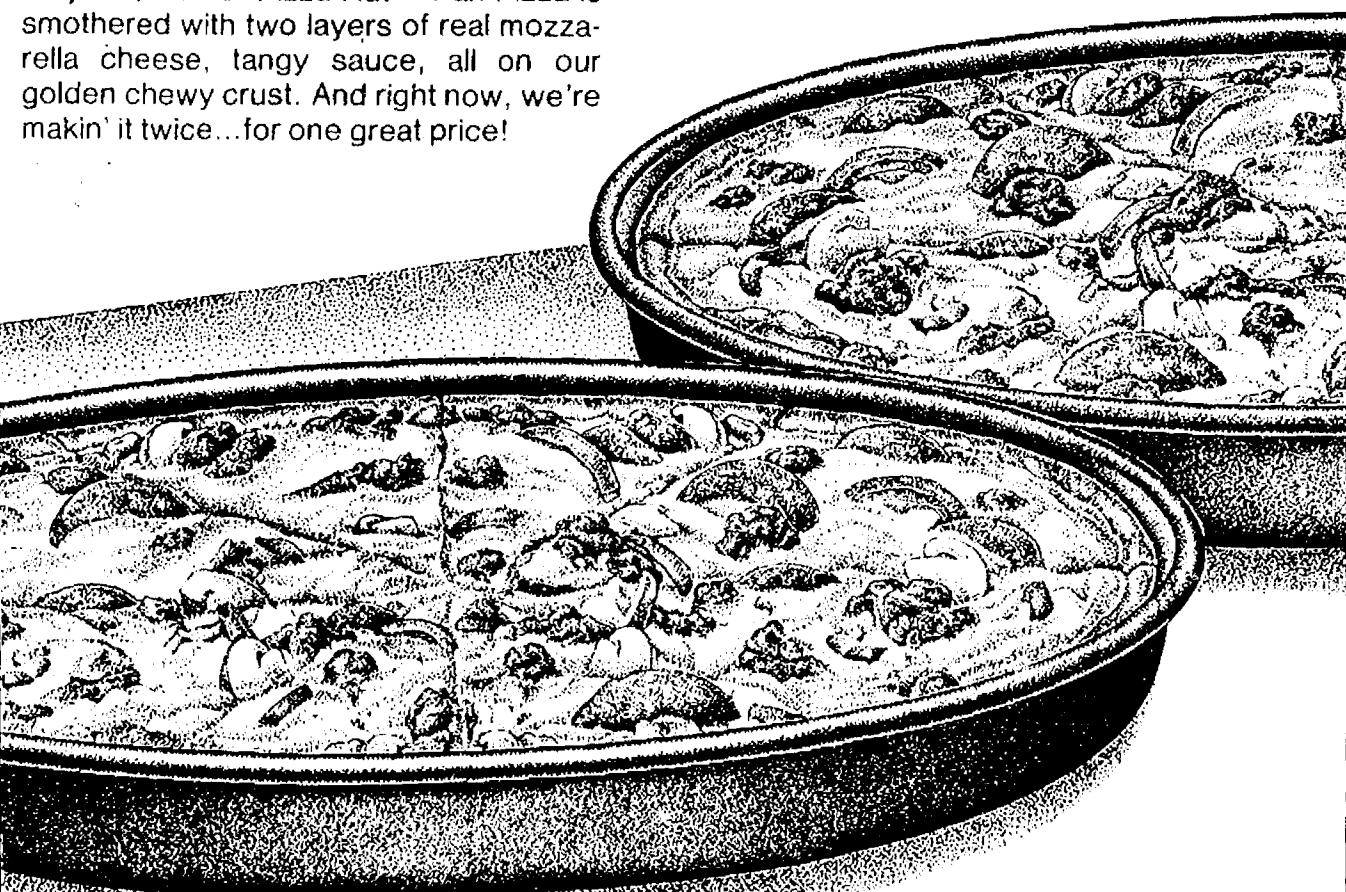
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